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BUSY MEN'S FORUM

A NEW CLUB PROPOSED FOR MEN BY DR. TAYLOR.

OBJECT: SOCIAL CULTURE

Would Have Commercial Club Take Matter Up, But Have It Free to All Men.

President H. K. Taylor of the Normal, in a communication to this paper, suggests an organization of men for Maryville whereby questions upon which every man should be informed could be investigated and discussed. President Taylor says that it could be made a part of the Commercial club, and that every man who is interested in self-culture and improvement should be eligible for membership. The communication follows:

Maryville, Mo., March 18.—To the Editor of The Democrat-Forum: It seems to me that one thing needed in Maryville is a better opportunity for our men to cultivate the intellectual as well as the social side of life. I commend most heartily the successful efforts of the ladies of our town in taking up lines of thought, study and discussion upon popular and interesting questions concerning social and civic life.

A similar organization of men whereby questions upon which every man should be informed, whether rich or poor, lay or professional, could be investigated and discussed, would be of great benefit. There are many men busily engrossed with matters not conducive to self-government who would gladly welcome such an opportunity.

No community ever rises higher in the scale of citizenship than the intellectual, social and moral status, not of a few individuals, but of the great majority of its people. Whatever contributes to the raising of that status is a real benefaction to the community.

It is to be doubted whether any other small communities ever excelled in general intelligence the people of the little towns in colonial times when the town meeting was the forum, the lyceum, and the club of every man. Out of just such communities came the best material that went into the fabric of the nation.

It should be a source of gratification to every one interested in the elevation of our standards of culture that such a course of lectures as that to be given by President John during the next week is to be offered to the community through the generosity of the men of the M. E. church. The house should be packed every night. This communication is prompted by a desire to provide for the community such popular advantages as this course of lectures affords. I regret that pressing engagements will prevent my being present at any of these lectures. In pursuance of the suggestions made above I should like to see this club organized. I do not see why it might not be made a part of the work of the Commercial club, except that no fee should be charged, and every man who is interested in self-culture and improvement should be eligible for membership. It seems to me that "The Busy Man's Forum" would, both in expression and implication, be a suitable designation for such a club. I trust that many will take such an interest in a movement of this kind that it will soon be put on foot. Holding myself in readiness to do all that I can to co-operate with such a movement, I am, Very truly,

H. K. TAYLOR.

Mrs. Albert Neidel, living north of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend the day.

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HALL SUES FOR $5,000

For Beating He Got on March 16, 1912, by Caleb Miller.

One of the first suits filed for the June term of court was the one filed Tuesday for $5,000 by Attorneys C. F. McCaffrey and J. C. Growney for Charlie Hall against Caleb Miller.

The petition states that the defendant unlawfully, wrongfully and maliciously assaulted, struck and beat and wounded plaintiff by striking and beating his head, face and body with a large stick, on March 16, 1912. The plaintiff was greatly injured and suffered great pains, so the petition states, and he has had the attention of a physician to care for him. He asks for $2,500 actual damages and $2,500 punitive damages.

TOURNAMENT NOW STARTED.

High School Teams Are Playing Basket Ball—Blues Won the First Game.

In the first game of the series the Blues won easily over the Little Giants by a 32 to 4 score. The Blues, in their anxiety to win, played a rather rough game, and had the misfortune to lose their doughty little forward, Jack Taylor, who was benched by Referee Horton during the first few minutes of play. Willson, center for the Blues, then took the burden of winning the game upon himself, gleaning eight baskets off his opponent. The Little Giants, although well supported and playing a hard game, seemed unable to get together or to use their accustomed team work. Growney made their only basket, a spectacular shot from the center of the field. The next game will be between the Tigers and the High Flyers, the dope pointing rather in favor of the Tigers.

There was a good attendance at the game, and it is hoped that this will continue throughout the series of games to be played. The line-up of the game:

The Blues—Robinson, Miller, Taylor, Condon, Blagg.

The Little Giants—Growney, Murray, V. Lyle, A. Lyle, Garten.

Field goals—Willson 8, Robinson 3, Condon 3, Growney.

Free throws—Condon 3, Willson, Murray, V. Lyle.

TO DROP 30 DEGREES.

Temperature Will Take a Tumble Wednesday—Snow Has Been Going Fast This Week.

Weather Observer J. R. Brink received word Tuesday that the temperature would drop 25 or 30 degrees by Wednesday morning. As it was 55 degrees Tuesday morning, this will mean that it will be about 25 degrees Wednesday.

The snow went fast under the sunshine this week. A good part of the snow is gone. It melted so fast Sunday that the small creeks were out of their banks. The river was up a little Tuesday.

WENT TO THE PEN.

James Gaulding and Ned Holmes Taken to Jefferson City by Geo. Evans and John Tilson.

Deputy Sheriffs Geo. L. Evans and John Tilson took James Gaulding and Ned Holmes to Jefferson City Tuesday, where they are to serve time in the penitentiary. Gaulding is sentenced for five years and Holmes for three years. They were tried at the recent term of circuit court.

Irvin Schroyer, who was also sentenced to two years in the pen, was not taken at this time, as the court instructed Sheriff Tilson to keep him here for the time being.

MEETING CALLED OFF.

One That Was to Be Held at Pickering Saturday Will Be Held Later—One at Lock on Friday.

The meeting that was to have been held at Pickering Saturday has been called off, as Prof. R. H. Emberson of the state university at Columbia was unable to come at that time. The meeting will be held at a later date, when a general discussion of the advantages of the consolidation of schools will be had.

County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson will speak at the Lock school house on Friday afternoon on the consolidation plan. Lock is one of the school districts in Union township that is in the consolidation plan in that township.

Mrs. Bruce Johnson returned Tuesday morning from a visit at Bedford, Ia., with her parents, and was accompanied by her little sister, Mary Rhoades.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

START ON SCAFFOLD

WORK WILL COMMENCE WEDNESDAY ON DEATH TRAP.

MANY ASK TO WITNESS IT

Requests for Admission to Rasco Hanging Pouring in On Officers in Charge.

If Sheriff W. R. Tilson don't hear from Governor Hadley before this evening as to the commutation of Rasco's sentence, he will commence Wednesday to make his arrangements to carry out the execution, which is set for a week from this Tuesday. Sheriff Tilson was in St. Joseph Monday getting some information regarding the building of a scaffold, and also measured the death trap in the Buchanan county jail.

Work will start on the scaffold Wednesday morning, which will be erected west of the county jail. An enclosure must also be erected higher than the gallows and sufficiently close to exclude the view of persons on the outside. The scaffold must be built adjoining or as near the jail as possible.

While all these arrangements are being made to carry out the execution, Rasco seems to be more nervous. He didn't retire Monday night until 11 o'clock, then only resting fairly well during the night. He don't read so much in the daytime as usual, and when asked why not, he replied that he was too nervous. He has had several callers, and all of the ministers of the city have called upon him.

Many letters and requests have been received by Sheriff Tilson and others for admittance to witness the hanging. Circuit Clerk Eugene Rathbun received two letters Thursday, one from Circuit Clerk A. E. Stone of Plattsburg, asking for a ticket for himself and a friend, and the other one from Judge R. E. Christian of Atchison county. Sheriff Tilson will be unable to accommodate very many, as the law states that those that should be present at the execution should be the officers of the court, guards and assistants as the sheriff may see proper, the prosecuting attorney, the clerk of the court, twelve reputable citizens, two of whom are physicians, the attorneys of the convict, a minister of the gospel as convict may desire, and relatives of the convict.

DEATH OF JAMES M'MACKEN.

Died at Brother's Home, Near Guilford Monday Morning—Funeral Held Tuesday.

James McMacken died at 6 o'clock Monday morning at the home of his brother, Boyd McMacken, near Guilford. He had been complaining for some time and took to his bed Friday. He was 45 years old and was born in Nodaway county. He was a single man. The funeral was held Tuesday at the M. E. church in Guilford, the services being conducted by Rev. Hoover of Ravenwood.

Mrs. W. L. Schoonover and daughter went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to visit Mrs. Ora Bratcher.

TO BE OPERATED ON.

W. R. Wells to Undergo Operation at Hospital Wednesday Morning.

W. R. Wells of this city will undergo an operation at St. Luke's hospital in Chicago Wednesday morning which will be performed by Dr. McArthur. Mr. Wells has bowel trouble. Mrs. Wells and son, Burnham, are in Chicago now with Mr. Wells.

MEETING AT HOPKINS

On Saturday to Discuss Corn Raising—To Organize Boys and Farmers in That Township.

A meeting will be held at Hopkins Saturday afternoon for the purpose of organizing the boys and farmers in that township, and to discuss corn raising. County Superintendent Oakerson will go to that place, where he will talk on corn raising.

DR. JOHN IS HERE.

Will Give His First Lecture at the First M. E. Church on Tuesday Evening.

Dr. John P. D. John arrived in Maryville Tuesday noon for a series of lectures which he will give this week at the First M. E. church. He will give his first lecture this evening at 8 o'clock, and his subject will be "A Glimpse of God in the Microscope."

Dr. J. S. Ford, pastor of the church, on behalf of the official board and the entire membership of the church, extends a most cordial invitation to all pastors and all church and school people and all others to come and enjoy these lectures. There will be no collections. Everything is free and all will be most cordially welcome.

January Report.

There were 57 births and 23 deaths in January in Nodaway county, according to the report of the bureau of vital statistics at Jefferson City. The causes of the deaths follow:

Typhoid fever	1
Tuberculosis of lungs	2
Cancer	3
Diseases of the nervous system	3
Diseases of heart and circulatory system	6
Pneumonia and broncho-pneumonia	2
Acute nephritis and Bright's disease	2
Accidents	2
Other causes	2
Total	23

Will Go to Kansas City.

Miss Kate Schenck, the versatile and popular society reporter for the Tribune, has closed her work with that paper and will go to Kansas City the last of this week, when she will begin work next Monday with the Cunningham Brokerage company of that city as a bookkeeper. Her departure is much regretted by the Tribune and her many friends in this city, but all will be glad to know that her position is lucrative and with possibilities of advancement.

Visited Sick Niece.

Mrs. L. W. Miller and daughter, Miss Edna, of Bolckow, were in Maryville Monday, returning home from a week's visit with Mrs. Miller's niece, Miss Cleo May, who is sick of appendicitis. Miss May is a former State Normal student. She was compelled to give up her school work on account of ill health.

A REGULAR SEAT-HOG!

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Tourists With Mrs. Allender.

The Tourist division of the Twentieth Century club met with Mrs. J. C. Allender Tuesday afternoon.

The M. I. Circle.

Mrs. I. W. Nixon will be hostess to the M. I. Circle for its meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Monday's Bridge Club Today.

Mrs. E. G. Orear entertained the Monday Afternoon Bridge club this afternoon, which was postponed on account of the midday luncheon of the Twentieth Century club Monday.

Conservatory Recital.

The students of the Conservatory who gave piano numbers at the weekly recital Monday night were Miss Mildred Bellows, Miss Nina Evans, Miss Valeda Vance, Miss Madge McMahon, Miss Geneva Wilfley, Miss Mary Wooldridge.

Guests at Evans Home.

Miss Carrie Barge, college and field secretary for the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, who spoke at the First M. E. church, Sunday, is the guest of Misses Elizabeth and Mary Q. Evans, and will remain in the city until Tuesday. The Misses Evans are also entertaining Miss Ruby Tibbetts of Stanberry.

Monday Evening Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith entertained with a dinner Monday evening in honor of Mr. Smith's niece, Mrs. Blake Alexander, and family of Bushnell, Ill., who are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and little daughter, Maud Phinney; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Braniger, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith.

Inspected Their New Hall.

The Woman's Relief Corps of Sedgwick post, G. A. R. held its regular meeting Saturday afternoon. Shortly after convening the corps was escorted by Comrades Grems and Sipes to its new hall over the Childress department store, in the Baker building, on the north side of the square, to inspect its new quarters. The members were all delighted with the new hall and returned to their old lodge home and finished the business before them.

Society Was Organized.

At a meeting of the ladies of the First M. E. church Monday afternoon the Ladies' Home Missionary society was organized with the following officers: Mrs. H. E. Wright, president; Mrs. L. H. Hill, secretary; Mrs. Ada Jones, treasurer; Mrs. L. L. Maier, corresponding secretary, and Miss Nellie Evans, chairman of the program committee. The organization was in charge of Miss Carrie Barge of Delaware, O.

Praisewater—Smith.

Rev. L. L. Smith of Fillmore officiated at a very beautiful wedding when Orin E. Jones of Pickering and Lela Pearl Praisewater of near Fillmore were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Praisewater, after which luncheon was served. About seventy guests were invited. Miss Lola Praisewater, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Clarence Jones, a brother of the groom, was best man. Miss Edith Praisewater, also a sister of the bride, played the wedding march.

The bride was dressed in white and carried a bunch of white roses. The bridesmaid was also dressed in white. The bride and groom left early Monday morning for Oregon, and were accompanied as far as St. Joseph by Mr. Clarence Jones and Miss Louella Waegle.

They will be at home on the groom's farm, near Pickering.

Loyal Daughters Entertained.

The Loyal Daughters, who constitute the members of the class taught by Mrs. Claude J. Miller in the First Christian church Bible school, were entertained Friday night at the home of Miss Nina Bent. Some time ago the class divided for a membership contest, one side being the reds and the other the blues, the contest to close when fifty members had been secured and the side winning the most new members to be given a party by the side not so fortunate. The house was beautifully decorated in the class colors, gold and white, and posters while the refreshments were served in

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PLEADS FOR HIS BOY

AGED FATHER OF HEZ RASCO ASKS FOR CLEMENCY.

DECISION IN A FEW DAYS

After Hearing Prisoner's Father and Attorneys, Governor Took Case Under Advisement.

Henry Rasco, father of Hez Rasco, and Attorneys Ellis G. Cook and Edward E. Williams for Rasco, appeared before Governor Hadley Tuesday morning at Jefferson City, and the attorneys gave arguments why the sentence should be commuted, as they think the circumstantial evidence in the case warrant a commutation.

Governor Hadley announced after the interview that he would take the case under advisement and would give his decision in a few days as to the commutation of the sentence.

The attorneys were with Assistant Attorney General Campbell Cummings of Jefferson City, who had charge of the state's case before the supreme court.

Henry Rasco, the aged father of Hez, made a personal plea to the governor for him to commute the sentence. He said that his boy was innocent, and that it was too much for an old man of his age to stand to see his boy hung. He pleaded for executive clemency. Mr. Rasco is much broken up, and it is doubtful whether he will live long if Hez is hung.

Governor Hadley has received many letters from all over the state in regard to Rasco. The Rev. Marion Moore of Weston, Mo., wrote the governor he has every reason to believe Rasco is insane. Mrs. Lena Rostock of Oregon, Mo., condemns the testimony of bloodhounds, upon which, she is informed, Rasco was largely convicted, as being wholly unreliable.

Rev. Harrel of the Baptist church and Rev. C. J. Miller of the Christian church were callers on Hez Rasco this afternoon and talked to him for a long time. Hez seems to be on the verge of a breakdown, as he appears very nervous.

WILL WAS FILED.

A Number of Bequests Made by Miss Emma Cannon, Who Died Recently.

The will of Miss Emma Cannon, who died recently in this city, was filed in probate court Tuesday. It was written on March 8, 1911, and was witnessed by John M. Dawson and Hattie T. Cummins. By the terms of the will she leaves to a niece, Grace E. Webber of Bellvue, Ia., $335; to a niece, Lauella Cannon of Hawarden, Ia., $335; to a nephew, Lee Cannon, $335; to a cousin, Mary J. Holmes of Maryville, $1,000; to a cousin, Chloe J. Craig of Maryville, $1,000. She requested that a gold watch chain be divided in three equal parts and given to Leiber and Hosick Holmes and Albert Craig. All books and her library was given to Laura L. Craig. The rest and remainder of the estate was left to Chloe Craig of Maryville. T. A. Cummins was named as executor.

Visiting Her Parents.

Mrs. Joseph Shipps and son of Ottawa, Kan., arrived in Maryville Monday noon on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle.

Manager Hancock of the Field-Lippman music store left Tuesday for a several days' business trip to Stanberry, Elmo and Blanchard. He will be met at Stanberry by his assistant, Harold Walker, who will accompany him on the trip.

THE WEATHER

Rain probably turning to snow tonight; Wednesday generally fair; cold wave tonight and Wednesday high northerly winds.

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Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in Maryville and Nodaway county. Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

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Candidate for Chief of Police.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of chief of police.

ELMER C. MOBERLY.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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St. Patrick's colors. A musical comedy and a contest in balancing one's self on a gallon jug while writing one's name, were among the amusements. Each one wore a green shamrock, on which was the question, "Who are you?" making a nice way of getting acquatinted. The members of the class are Misses Hermione Fisher, Verna Thomas, Blanche Shipps, Mamie Tilson, Esther Roberts, Lola Wright, Gladys Yeaman, Elsie Aikire, Geneva Wilfley, Nina Bent, Golda Roelofson, Olivette Godsey, Grace Dungy, Eva Michael, Eva Lee Vance, Marjory Wilfley, Bessie Webster, Helen Purcell, Beulah Taylor, Lulu Williams, Meriem Holt, Marie Cain, Ethel Cain, Eunice Garten, Lizzie Hill, Ruth Dunn, Nellie Hardisty, Flo Masters, Daisy Young, Hazel Cain, Nora Gregory, Edith Clayton, Lennie Carleson, Rena Carleson, Anna Clayton, Ada McLarnon, May Trullinger, Hazel Vandervoort, Anna Sears, Morva Griffey, Maybird Parish, Della May Hook, Ruth Hasty, Audrey Broyles.

Their Sixth Anniversary.

The members of the Twentieth Century club celebrated the sixth birthday anniversary of the club Monday with a mid-day luncheon at the Reuilfard cafe. The club's anniversary is on St. Patrick's day, but as that day came on Sunday this year, Monday was chosen for the celebration. The cafe was screened off and decorated to the patron saint, but primarily in the Twentieth Century club colors of lavender and white. Plates were laid for thirty-eight club members and two guests, Mrs. M. A. Ummethum of Kansas City and Mrs. Walker Lee Campbell of Portland, Ore., at one long, handsomely appointed table. Bowls of fresh cut English violets and ferns in lavender pots graced the center of the table at intervals, and a long-stemmed white carnation was by each plate. The luncheon was delightfully served and consisted of:

Oyster Cocktails Uneeda
Olives
Roast Chicken "a la Tourist"
French Peas in Cases
Potatoes "Hollandaise"
Hot Rolls
French Salad "Tennyson" Wafers
Ice Cream "Twentieth Century"
Coffee

After the luncheon was served Mrs. Anderson Craig, the "toastmistress," as she styled herself, took charge of the after-dinner program in an inimitable speech, saying, among many other things:

"'Tis St. Patrick's day in the morning. 'Tis now we celebrate our anniversary, and I have been selected to carry out your color scheme. Behold me, then! Creature of your creation! Handmaiden of your handiwork! A silver mounted, emerald tinted carnucopia, encompassing all the jewels of literature, the gems of thought and the pearls of wisdom, which shall, like pure and sparkling diamonds, dazzle your visions at this feast of eloquence and flow of soul. In plainer parlance, I am the silver crested greenhorn whose clarion voice shall call forth the toasts, all done brown and crisp, and taffy sweetened for your delectation!"

After hearing letters of greeting and congratulations from two former members of the club, Mrs. Mary Webb of Springfield and Mrs. B. R. Martin of St. Joseph, the toastmistress announced the first speaker, the president of the club, who responded to the toast "Ourselves." She said in part:

"By ourselves I mean the clubs—the women of the clubs of today. Perhaps the best description of a club is one given by a witty bishop who defined it as a place

'Where women cease from troubling
and the weary are at rest.'

"The definition of a man's club is slightly different. A man's club is a weapon used to keep women at a distance.

"The noble lives of club women are 'monuments for a future generation.' The seeds they are sowing now will reap a golden harvest. When a few scattered groups of women started out nearly fifty years ago to 'pursue culture' under the name of 'women's clubs,' no one dreamed of the splendidly organized band of women of today. Before the day of 'women's clubs' the women could talk of nothing beyond the three Ds—dress, domestics and disease. At first little bands of women met occasionally, had a few papers and a few discussions in a crude way. As the years went on clubs sprang up everywhere, but club work went on rather blunderingly. For instance, one club in one place would take up work in one way, at another place in another way, and knew nothing of each other. All worked in the dark. When one woman more clever than the rest said 'we must federate, or we must perish,' no time was lost. That was the grandest movement ever accomplished. Now we all work in unison, always helping each other. Every club should federate. It establishes a kinship that broadens women and creates a sort of universal sisterhood. As Roosevelt said recently, the co-operation of women and men will tend toward the righteousness that exalteth the nation.

"Women are the American Beauty roses blooming in their homes. The trouble is so many men are so choked up with weeds that the beauty roses have to get out and hustle to pay the rent. In a great many instances man is fighting shy of marriage, giving as an excuse that his wife would want to spend most of her time at clubs to the neglect of her home. That is a mere subterfuge. The women who attend clubs are the most devoted wives and home-makers.

"Club women, as a rule, never lose their grip on love. It is the alpha and omega of their happiness, and having won it they cling to it as tenaciously as a queen clings to her crown. The club women are here to stay. We all love them. May their influence go down the ages. Like all that is beautiful, they are a joy forever. Here's to ourselves. Who know the depth of ourselves and the height of ourselves; the worst of ourselves and the best of ourselves. May we all make the most of ourselves and let Providence take care of the rest of ourselves."

Miss Helen Leffler had for her subject "Bachelors," and said:

"Of course, one might expect all manner of nice things to be said in response to the toast "Wives," since wives are so largely in the majority here today, and what one of these loyal wives would allow anything to be said against that portion of the human race known as husbands?.

"In our land, at least, where the inalienable rights of life, liberty and pursuit of happiness are granted to every individual, the bachelor feels that in his case public opinion has so amended the constitution that it now reads "life and pursuit of happiness,' with liberty left out.

"The bachelor has long been regarded as a menace to the life of the race, and his mere existence is deplored by statesmen, reformers and sociologists. Every legislature is flooded with bills designed for his financial ruin.

"The bachelor is the only member of society today whose philosophy entitles him to be a worthy successor of the ancient Greeks. Without him the gentle art of domestic philosophy would become extinct. He is the supreme authority on the mistakes of married life. Who knows so well as he that his friend's wife's nagging has led her husband to spend so many evenings at the club, and that his friend's wife's extravagance has so increased the cost of living that her husband can no longer afford a decent brand of cigars and has had to forego the luxury of highballs. The bachelor has come down to us through history as an unimpeachable authority on how to raise children. Like Solomon, he is the final judge and connoisseur of beautiful women. No one knows so well as he the frailties of the sex. He stands alone today as the resisting spirit to the persuasive charms of woman, and may heaven protect him if he continues so to do in this dangerous year of nineteen hundred and twelve."

Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend retaliated with excellent wit and humor what the toastmistress inferred in her speech, and the looks she received from some wiseacres, who almost smiled out loud because a young woman, married only a year and a half (a bride, in fact), had been selected to give a toast on so intricate and profound a subject as "Husbands," and she gave them permission and a chance to walk out if they didn't want to listen to her. She said:

"Webster tells us that a husband is the male head of a household; one who orders the economy of a family. Of course that is the exact meaning of the word, but I should hate to think that I was married to a head of a household, a mere figure-head. When we speak the word husband, do we ever stop to realize what all that word may imply? I won't say that it means much in all cases, but it should, and if it doesn't, perhaps we wives are in a measure to blame. A husband should be all that is strong and noble—a great big prop for us. We should never be too proud to be advised by them. They know the ways of the world better than we, and there cannot be mutual love and sympathy between husband and wife if she does not look up to him and have regard for his opinions. The Bible tells us that 'she who is married, careth how she may please her husband.' The husband leaves his home every day and works hard to make a living for both, while we are shielded at home from the annoyances they must meet every day. It is our place to give them a pleasant greeting on their return home and let them know each day that we love them.

"But there are husbands and husbands. And there are delinquent ones. Blackstone tells us that the husband and wife are one person at law, and they should be in the home. [illegible] words and unselfish care is what promotes happiness. There is no man who will not yield to affection. Let all we who are wives remember how slight a word or deed may renew the old trysting times.

"It matters not what be thy lot,
So Love doth guide.
For storm or shine, pure peace is thine
Whate'er betide."

Mrs. D. J. Thomas spoke on "Wives," and said in part:

"Wives is not such a poor subject. I might read you a lecture on the baneful club woman, with side lights on suffragettes, and wind up with the extravagance of wives, as a clue to the high cost of living, and this would not be far wrong, for Solomon, with all his 700 wives, never saw one arrayed like these (twentieth century women). You perhaps think a wife is a woman who is joined to a man in the holy bonds of wedlock, but in Scotland she is a woman of mature age, who is or might be married.

"Blackstone says: 'A husband and wife are one person in law.' Each one of us knows which half she is.

"The Bible says: 'Wives, submit yourselves unto your husbands, for the husband is the head of the wife, even as Christ is head of the church,' but you need not allow yourselves to be imposed upon on this account, for it follows with: 'Husbands, love your wives even as Christ loves the church,' and such love admits of the broadest interpretation.

"Husbands have many diverse views on wives. Some regard them as blessed home-makers, others merely as housekeepers.

"No woman is perfectly happy until she is married, and few are entirely so afterward. But 'every cloud has a silver lining,' and the silveriest lining is seen in the flying clouds of wifehood when a woman achieves her highest glory and attains to motherhood."

Miss Jessie Parcher responded to the toast "Spinsters," and said:

"Spinsters! Alias bachelor girls! We are lucky cats. Heaven's blessing is upon us! The dictionary says we are rather aged females who have never married; the world says we are old maids who have never had a chance to, and are wishing we could. Let not your hearts be troubled. Perversion of truth is as old as Time. We may count ourselves the favored class whose foresight prevents our joining the matrimonial jump into connubial fires—the frying pan of single blessedness affords us peace. We possess not the hindsight which makes us wish we hadn't. We are looking well before we leap—and from the signs there'll be no leap this year. We are philosphers—if we can't get what we like, we like what we can get.

"Spinsters, here's luck to you and your spinning! May you weave the fabric called life, with its health, wealth and happiness; love, joys; desires, fulfillments; ambitions, attainments. Here's to the coming to you in very great measure all the good gifts of fate accorded your so-called more fortunate sisters. May all the sweets which are theirs be yours; unalloyed sweets, unmixed with the cloying bitter of an encumbering husband, or the risk of being the mother of a militant suffragette!"

Honor to Whom Honor is Due.

The ladies of the Twentieth Century club are more than pleased with their sixth anniversary celebration on Monday, and many expressed pride in the members of the committee who had entire charge of making the program and arranging everything for the affair. The members of the committee who so gloriously succeeded in doing themselves and their club proud were Mrs. Edward G. Orear, chairman; Mrs. G. H. Colbert and Miss Emma Lee Taylor.

Guests From California.

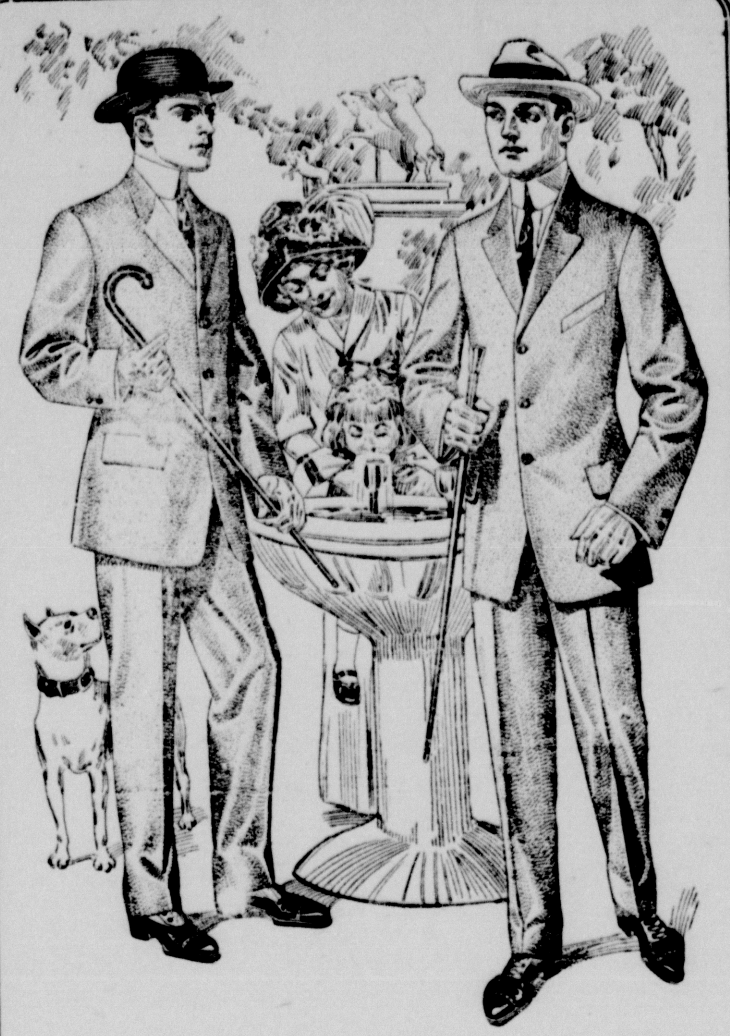
A. J. Messecar and two children of San Diego, Cal., arrived in Maryville Sunday night on a visit to his mother-in-law, Mrs. E. F. Teaney. Mrs. Messecar, who was Miss Nora Teaney of this city, died several years ago.

Mrs. Addie Patterson of Bolckow visited in Maryville from Saturday until Monday evening with Mrs. Elizabeth French, 218 North Fillmore street, who has recently moved to our city from Bolckow.

Miss Gertrude Young of St. Joseph spent Sunday and Monday in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. Newton Hagins.

Repels Attack of Death.

"Five years ago two doctors told me I had only two years to live." This startling statement was made by Stillman Green, Malachite, Col. "They told me I would die with consumption. It was up to me then to try the best lung medicine and I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery. It was well I did, for today I am working and believe I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure that has cheated the grave of another victim." It's folly to suffer with coughs, colds or other throat and lung troubles now. Take the cure that's safest. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottle free at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.



It's time to consider spring things.

The new models in suits for spring are going to please you very much: the new patterns and weaves are very rich.

As usual we've prepared a treat for the young fellows.

Hats in the new shapes and colors are now attracting the early buyers—new Stetsons—new Lion styles. It's the greatest stock of fine hats you ever saw.

Our Shoe department is satisfying the best dressers in our Florsheim bench-made shoes.

Arrow Brand shirts always please the critical dressers—the spring fashions and colors are beautiful.

Bring your boys to us if you want them properly and economically clothed—suits in latest styles and weaves.

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Why Salves Can't Cure Eczema

Since the old-fashioned theory of curing eczema through the blood has been given up by scientists, many different salves have been tried for skin diseases. But it has been found that these salves only clog the pores and cannot penetrate to the inner skin below the epidermis where the eczema germs are lodged.

This—the quality of penetrating—probably explains the tremendous success of the well known liquid eczema remedy, oil of wintergreen, thymol, glycerine, etc., as compounded in D.D.D. Prescription.

We have sold other remedies for skin troubles but none that we can recommend as highly as this for we know that D.D.D. stops the itch at once. We can give you a trial size bottle for 25 cents that will be enough to prove it.

Of course all other druggists have D.D.D. Prescription—go to them if you can't come to us—but don't accept some big profit substitute.

But if you come to our store, we are so certain of what D.D.D. will do for you that we offer you a full size bottle on this guarantee:—If you do not find that it takes away the itch AT ONCE, it costs you not a cent.

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WHAT SAVED HER LIFE

Mrs. Martin Tells About a Painful Experience that Might Have Ended Seriously.

Rivesville, W. Va.—Mrs. Dora Martin, in a letter from Rivesville, writes: "For three years, I suffered with womanly troubles, and had pains in my back and side. I was nervous and could not sleep at night.

The doctor could not help me. He said I would have to be operated on before I could get better. I thought I would try using Cardui.

Now, I am entirely well.

I am sure Cardui saved my life. I will never be without Cardui in my home. I recommend it to my friends."

For fifty years, Cardui has been relieving pain and distress caused by womanly trouble. It will surely help you.

It goes to the spot—reaches the trouble—relieves the symptoms, and drives away the cause.

If you suffer from any symptoms of womanly trouble, take Cardui.

Your druggist sells and recommends it. Get a bottle from him today.

N. B.—*Write to:* Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Big Crowd at Concert.

The Field-Lippman piano store entertained its largest crowd Saturday afternoon and evening at its weekly concert. These concerts are becoming very popular and will be a regular feature of this store's business. Manager Hancock is planning a great program for Saturday, March 30.

Nineteen Miles a Second

Without a jar, shock or disturbance, is the awful speed of our earth through space. We wonder at such ease of nature's movement, and so do those who take Dr. King's New Life Pills. No griping, no distress, just thorough work that brings good health and fine feelings. 25c.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

RHODE ISLAND REDS
Grand All Purpose Breed

Rose comb from prize winners at Kansas City and Omaha in 1910. Eggs 75 cents per 15. Single comb, fine mating of large, well developed fowls, eggs 50 cents per 15. Ideal Poultry Yards, F. W. OLNEY, Maryville, Mo. Phone Bell 277 or Crane's store.

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Farm raised birds, the quality that wins. Having tested the strength and fertility of eggs, can guarantee results.

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Baby chicks, 15 cents each, or $12 per 100.

A few settings of Single Comb Whites, $3 per setting.

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Ridgeway Farm, R. 6. Telephone No. 25-16 on Farmers.

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BRIBERY BEGINS STATE'S HISTORY

Four Members of New Mexico Legislature Under Arrest.

SEEN WHEN RECEIVING MONEY

All Were Members of House of Representatives—Caught by Clever Trap—Bad Beginning for New State.

Albuquerque, N. M., Mar. 19.—Four members of the New Mexico legislature were arrested in Santa Fe charged with accepting bribes to vote for certain candidates for United states senators.

Bribes amounting to $500 each are said to have been paid them.

The arrest of the legislators, all members of the house of representatives was effected by means of a ruse and came as a dramatic climax to dickerings extending over several days, it is alleged.

Those arrested were Representatives Julian Trujillo and J. P. Lucero of Rio Arraba county; Manuel Cordova and Luis Montoya of Taos county.

They are alleged to have been caught with the money in their possession. The arrests were made by Territorial Mounted Policeman A. A. Sena, in a room at the Palace hotel in Santa Fe, where the men met by appointment.

Resignations Written.

Immediately after their arrest, the four legislators were taken to the county jail. After their arrival there, they wrote their resignations, which will be presented to the house when it meets in the morning.

According to the details obtainable at present, the trap to catch the men was laid by Elfego Baca of Albuquerque, one of the managers of Judge Albert B. Fall, a leading candidate for United States senator; State Chairman Venceslao Jaramillo, one of the Republican central committee, also mentioned for a senatorship; Joseph D. Sena, clerk of the supreme court, and Officer Sena.

Solicited Bribes.

The men, it is said, had gone to Manager Baca earlier in the day and demanded $5,000 for their votes, agreeing, so the story goes, to deliver them to Judge Fall. Immediately the proposal was placed before Judge Fall, and plans were then laid to catch the men.

The money was obtained and the men were told to meet Baca in a room in the hotel at 9 o'clock. Officer Sena, Court Clerk Sena and Jaramillo then secreted themselves in the bathroom adjoining, where they could see what took place. As soon as the legislators had been handed the money, the plotters say, they burst into the room and the arrests followed.

Ocean Steamer Founders.

London, Mar. 19—A Loyd's dispatch from Spezzit, states that the British steamer North Britain has foundered in the Mediterranean and that all on board have perished, with the exception of one man. The North Britian carried a crew of 65 men.

A Bill for a Primary.

Washington, Mar. 19.—Senator Cummins of Iowa introduced in the senate a nation-wide presidential primary bill, the effect of which would be to do away with local, state and national conventions of the various political parties.

Chariton County Voted Wet.

Keytesville, Mo., Mar. 19.—Complete returns from the local option election held in Chariton county show that it has gone wet by a majority of 67. The county is now dry, having cast a dry majority of 668 four years ago.

Was Snowbound Here.

Mr. John Carter, a traveling salesman of Burlington, Ia., visited in Maryville Saturday and Sunday with the family of S. J. Pinnell. The Carter and Pinnell families were neighbors in Burlington, while Mr. Pinnell was agent for the Burlington railway there two years. Mr. Carter had been on a trip through Texas and Louisiana, and was on his way home when he was snowbound here.

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There is nothing that will create sickness or cause more trouble than a disordered stomach, and many people daily contract serious maladies simply through disregard or abuse of the stomach.

We urge every one suffering from any stomach derangement, indigestion, or dyspepsia, whether acute or chronic, to try Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, with the distinct understanding that we refund their money without question or formality, if after reasonable use of this medicine they are not satisfied with the results. We recommend them to our customers every day, and have yet to hear of any one who has not been benefited by them. Three sizes, 25c., 50c., and $1.00 a box. Sold in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main Street.

POSSES KILLED INNOCENT MAN

Forced to Drive Fleeing Convicts in Sleigh, Was First to Fall.

SLAUGHTER APPEARED USELESS

Running Fight With Desperadoes Who Murdered Nebraska's Prison Warden—One Surrenders After Rest are Dead.

Lincoln, Neb., Mar. 19.—An innocent man was the first to die from the shots of the posses which surrounded the three fugitives from the state penitentiary. Roy Blunt, the young farmer who was forced to drive the fugitives in his sleigh, fell in a fight in which he had no part.

He was 22 years old and had been married only two months. His young widow was prostrated when his body was taken home. The criminals had forced his wife to give them breakfast and then ordered him to drive them toward Omaha. Knowing the posse was only two hours behind them, they left a note telling of their hostage.

Fight Was Fierce.

From the time Chief Briggs of South Omaha and his deputy, John C. Trouton, came within a hundred yards of the fleeing men until the surviving convict surrendered it was a dashing fight over three miles of country roads near Gretna. The three convicts, who had killed the warden and his two assistants in their escape from the state penitentiary, did not hesitate to attempt to sell their lives as dearly as possible. They were armed with shotguns and revolvers. The shot came rattling into the faces of their pursuers, while the revolver bullets were poorly aimed and were spent in the snowdrifts along the roadside.

Finally there was a halt, and the young farmer toppled back into his sleigh. Chief Briggs jumped from his buggy and with deliberate aim fired at the fugitives. Six posses, including a company of militia, hurried up and joined in the fusillade. The convicts were surrounded and had no chance of escape. But no one was cool enough to consider the uselessness of the slaughter.

Dowd Shot Himself.

John Taylor was the next to fall. Then John Dowd shot himself in the temple. Charles Morley, the last, threw up his hands in token of surrender.

"Drop that gun or I'll blow your head off!" Chief Briggs shouted.

Morley, who held aloft a big double action revolver, dropped it and came forward. The chief took another revolver from his pocket and handcuffed him. Not knowing just what had happened, he demanded the surrender of the men in the wagon.

"They are all dead," Morley said.

The firing had attracted several hundred farmers, and the procession which followed the officers back to Gretna was almost two miles long. The bodies of the two convicts were brought here. Sheriff Hyers also brought Morley back and returned him to a cell.

Morley declared that the escape from the penitentiary had not been long planned. He did not know of it Thursday morning. The guns were given him and Dowd by Taylor, who also had the explosive.

DYNAMITE IN THEIR NEW HOME

Young Couple Just Married Met With Dangerous Reception on Entering House.

Tulsa, Ok., Mar. 19.—As Alvin Orcutt and his bride of a few days were entering their home seven miles south of here for the first time at night a heavy charge of dynamite was exploded at the opposite side of the house, wrecking the building. The couple were uninjured.

Alvin Orcutt is the son of S. A. Orcutt, one of the wealthiest residents of Tulsa. There have been other dynamiting outrages in this county in the last two years. The officers do not believe that the dynamiting of the Orcutt home was part of an organized plot.

SUICIDE COVERS UP HER WOUND

St. Joseph Woman Pulls Dressing Gown Over Heart, Hiding Revolver.

St. Joseph, Mo., Mar. 19.—Mrs. Bertha Bauer, wife of Franz Baur, eldest daughter of Alfred Meier, president of the board of public works, killed herself with a revolver about 7 o'clock in the morning at the family home. She had been in bad health.

She was attired in a dressing gown, laid down on a couch, placed the muzzle of a revolver to her heart and pulled the trigger. In a second or two of consciousness and before Mr. Bauer could reach the room, she folded the grown back over the wound and hid the pistol under one of the folds.

Burned by Alcohol Lamp.

Aurora, Ill., Mar. 19.—Mrs. Helen Leet, 74, one of the wealthiest women in Illinois, is near death as a result of burns received when an alcohol lamp, over which she was making a cup of coffee, exploded and set fire to her night clothing. A servant went to her assistance.

AMERICAN MARINES LANDED

TAKE CHARGE OF CUSTOMS HOUSE AT SWATOW, CHINA.

Threatening Attitude of Natives and Continued Rioting Made Action Necessary.

Swatow, China, Mar. 19.—Because of the threatening attitude of natives and of the prevalence of rioting and lawlessness a detachment of United States marines was landed here to protect the lives and property of Americans and other foreigners.

The marines have taken charge of the customs house.

Bakka tribesmen and troops from Canton battled eight hours in the streets of the city. A shot from one of the combatants, who were firing wildly, killed a marine on board a Japanese warship in the harbor.

Severel other bullets struck the hull of the United States monitor Monterey.

Reports from Waichow say the troops there are mutinous.

United States in Struggle.

London, Mar. 19.—The situation is being keenly observed here.

Admiral Sir Syprian Bridge indicated his belief that a naval clash in the Far East is not improbable. He thought the United States should be certain of its naval strength before becoming involved.

Danger in Unpaid Troops.

Pekin, Mar. 19.—President Yuan Shi Kai pledged all his generals to stand by him and explained that the financiers who had promised a loan to pay the troops had withdrawn their offer. When the troops were informed of the situation they served notice upon the officers that unless their pay was forthcoming in 48 hours they would sack the city.

China needs $300,000,000 to save her from absolute ruin.

DYNAMITE VIRGINIA SLAYERS

So Well Intrenched in Mountains That Capture Would Mean Heavy Loss of Life.

Hillsvale, Va., Mar. 19.—Dynamite is to be used in driving the Allens from Devil's Den, their stronghold in the mountains on the North Carolina border. The courtroom slayers are so well intrenched that capture in a fight undoubtedly would be accompanied by great loss of life and it might be a long job to starve them into submission as they are well supplied with food.

Leaders of the posses in pursuit of the outlaws refuse to outline definitely their plan for using the explosive as there is an "underground" system of communication in the mountains and the Allens might be able to prepare a defense against the bombs. The posses include several men familiar with all gullies and caves in the vicinity of Devil's Den.

Roanoke, Va., Mar. 19.—Floyd Allen, wounded leader of the Allen clan, in jail here, prayed aloud in his cell and asked several times to see a preacher. He also has asked for a lawyer. No one has been allowed to approach him.

BOILER BLEW UP IN ROUNDHOUSE

San Antonio Explosion Kills Score of Workingmen, Mostly Strikebreakers.

San Antonio, Tex., Mar. 19—At least 32 persons were killed in the explosion of a locomotive boiler at the Southern Pacific roundhouse.

Most of the dead and injured were strikebreakers from the northwestern states, who took the place of Southern Pacific shopment, who struck here several weeks ago.

Engines in the roundhouse were smashed and the roundhouse caught fire. The half-ton jacket of the exploding locomotive boiler dropped between two houses on Duval street, several blocks distant, while the tender was thrown several hundred feet and twisted into a big shapeless mass of steel.

Important Letter to All Who Suffer.

"I suffered from indigestion for a long time. Last May I almost died. The doctor told me it was acute indigestion and I could not be cured. Since that time I have suffered very much, as some days everything I ate, even light food, as soft boiled eggs, would distress me. I lost fifteen pounds. Sometimes I felt that I could not live another day. A month ago I got a box of Mi-o-na tablets. Before I had used them a week I was better. I have used two boxes and I feel as well as I ever did.—Eunice A. Peters, Jackson, Ga.

Use Mi-o-na stomach tablets for quick relief from sour stomach, heaviness, heartburn, belching of gas and distress after eating. They are guaranteed. Large box 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

Papering Court House Halls.

Paper hangers commenced Monday to paper the court house halls. It has been a long time since the court house has been papered and with new paper it will show up fine.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

HER BROTHER DIED.

Miss Grace Lowe of Parnell Called to Omaha by Brother's Death.

Miss Grace Lowe, a teacher in the Parnell schools, was called to Omaha Monday night by the death of her brother, John Lowe, who died after a few days' illness.

The young man was 20 years old and a student at Creighton university of Omaha. He was born in Maryville and was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lowe of Omaha, formerly of Maryville. He is survived by five brothers and sisters. The young man was a nephew of Misses Jennie and Nellie Lowe of Barnard. Many old Maryville friends will sympathize with the family in their bereavement, for he was a young man of considerable promise.

FELL DEAD IN STATE HOSPITAL.

George W. Hoshor, Son of the Late Washington Hoshor—Body Will Arrive Tonight.

George W. Hoshor, a son of the late Washington Hoshor, dropped dead at the state hospital in St. Joseph Tuesday forenoon at 11:40 o'clock. He had been an inmate of that institution for many years. It is expected that the body will be brought to Maryville Tuesday night for burial. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

His Brother Dead.

George W. Walker of this city received a telegram Monday evening announcing the death of his brother, H. B. Walker of Mt. Vernon, Ill., at his home, Monday morning. The deceased man was about 70 years old. He will be remembered by older residents of our city, who met him while he was on a visit to his brother, the late Shubal G. Walker, who was a well known druggist here.

A Seed Corn Test.

C. D. McKibban made a seed corn test last week. He picked out fifty ears of corn, two years old, and secured a grain from each ear. He put this in a cigar box, with a wet cloth around it, and every grain sprouted in six days except one.

Miss Alvena Hartman of St. Joseph is engaged as trimmer for the Staples Millinery company, and will remain until the arrival of Mrs. Staples' regular trimmer, Miss Margaret Lee Winston, who is detained at her home in St. Joseph on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Mrs. J. H. Carmichael, living four miles west of Pickering, was in Maryville between trains Monday evening, the guest of Mrs. R. S. Braniger, and went on to Stanberry to visit her mother, Mrs. A. C. Hart, who is in poor health.

Miss Virdah Daniels of Barnard was in Maryville Monday on her way home from a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Cook of Shenandoah.

Miss Missie Farnan of Clyde, who has been spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Costello, returned home Monday.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday afternoon by Recorder Wray to Charles Snoderly of Yorktown, Ia., and Stella B. Bomar of Coin, Ia. They were married by 'Squire J. W. Morris.

BOTH BOMBS SENT BY ONE MAN

Attempt on Judge Rosalsky's Life is Connected With Death of Woman February 3.

New York, Mar. 19.—Every available detective at police headquarters is searching the city for the man who attempted to slay Judge Otto A. Rosalsky with an infernal machine sent him through the mails. Similarity of the typewriting on the package and of the manufacture of the deadly missile to that which caused the death of Helen Taylor, February 3, at her home on Seventy-seventh street, has led to the opinion that the same man sent both bombs.

SAFE BLOWER MAIMED HIMSELF

Too Much Nitroglycerin Used Results in Wounding of Chicago Cracksman.

Chicago, Mar. 19.—An over charge of nitroglycerin plugged into the safe of the Williams Grain company, exploded with such force that it not only demolished the safe and wrecked the office, but it maimed one of the yeggmen.

Particles of flesh, believed to have been torn from the legs of one of the robbers, were found in the building, while a trail of blood led outside.

Gas Explosion Burns Two.

Iola, Kan., Mar. 19.—An explosion of gas wrecked the home of William Bown at La Harpe. Bown and his wife were dangerously burned. When Bown applied a match to his stove in the morning the explosion followed. Gas had accumulated in the house in the night from leaky pipes.

NOSE STOPPED UP WITH CATARRH

A Common Sense Treatment for Colds and Catarrh. Gives Instant Relief.

No matter how miserable you are with catarrh or a cold in the head, nose stopped up, throat sore, eyes running, dull pain in the head, dry cough, fever, foul breath, Ely's Cream Balm will give you instant relief.

It gets right at the root of the trouble, cleanses, heals and strengthens the raw, sore membranes, stops the nasty discharge so that you are not constantly blowing the nose and spitting. In a few minutes after applied you can just feel it doing its work of clearing the head, the pain and soreness are relieved, the breathing becomes natural and the stuffed up feeling is gone. This cleansing, healing, antiseptic Balm contains no mercury, cocaine or other harmful drugs. It is easy to apply, pleasant to use, and never fails to give relief, even in the worst cases.

Never neglect a cold, and don't suffer the miseries of catarrh nor disgust your friends with your hawking, spitting and foul breath. Get a 50 cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist, and start the treatment at once. You will find that it will be the best investment you ever made.

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I want to buy 100 Horses

I will be in Maryville Saturday March 23d, at Pierpoint's livery barn. Bring in your horses and mules. I buy them from 4 years to as old as they live, the only condition is to have them fat. I buy the best that grow and pay the highest cash prices. I also want some fat old mares. If you want to sell your stock bring them in for I will be there rain or shine.

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ROOMS FOR RENT—502 East Seventh, Mrs. Anna Belcher. 18-30

FOR SALE—Seed oats. C. T. Barrow, Farmers' phone 36-12. Route 1, Maryville. 16-19

FOR SALE—Farm and city property. Money to loan at lowest rates on good farm security. Allen Bros. 19-21

WANTED—Second-hand cook stove. Call Wednesday Singer sewing machine office, 115 South Main street. 18-20

FOR RENT—Five acres, well improved, three-quarters of a mile north of K. C. depot. C. M. Casey, 304 North Walnut street. 16-19

FOR SALE—Two residence properties, one on Sixth and Walnut, other on East Sixth. Cheap if taken soon. Call Bell phone 15. Mrs. C. Dressel. 16-19

FOR SALE—8-acre tract in Southeast Maryville, close to St. Mary's school and church. Well improved. Lella Bonewitz, 1304 East Cooper. Hanamo 493 Red. 18-30

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Invitations Free.

The Northwest Normal school will send free to each lady upon application ten invitations that can be sent personally to lady friends to attend the short course in home making at the Normal school, April 25-27. If you wish the invitation, telephone or drop a card to the president, H. K. Taylor.

W. D. Patterson of Neodesha, Kan., who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Barks of East Second street, the past two weeks, left for his home Monday evening.

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the Independent school district of Maryville, Missouri, that at the regular annual election of said school district, to be held at the voting places in the various wards in the city of Maryville for the election of city officers of said city of Maryville, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1912,

There will be submitted to the qualified voters who are taxpayers of said school district voting at such election, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of said school district, in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the board of directors of said school district for the maintenance of the schools and for school purposes in said school district for the next ensuing school year.

Also the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

Done by order of the board of directors, March 13th, 1912.

W. A. BLAGG, President.
GEO. P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

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Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—4,500. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 17,000.

Hogs—20,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.07. Estimate tomorrow, 35,000.

Sheep—18,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—8,000. Market slow.

Hogs—12,000. Market 5c higher; top, $6.97.

Sheep—10,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,300. Market slow.

Hogs—8,000 Market 5c higher; top, $7.00.

Sheep—1,500. Market strong.

Social at W. O. W. Hall.

The Woodmen of the World will give a pie social and dance in their hall Friday evening, March 22. Everyone cordially invited. Ladies are requested to bring pies.

Constable Richard Snyder went to Clyde Tuesday on legal business.

H. J. Becker went to Hopkins Tuesday on business.

Mrs. F. W. Crow went to Kansas City Tuesday on a business trip.

Mrs. O. F. Wilson and Miss Millie Kester of Burlington Junction spent Tuesday in Maryville.

Charles Childress of the north side department store went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to buy goods.

Mrs. J. W. Wyncoop of Bolckow arrived Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Zack Pierpoint.

Mrs. E. L. Ferritor and little daughter went to Clyde Tuesday to spend the day with her sister, Mrs. Tom Merrigan.

Mrs. Charles T. Bell, Mrs. J. F. Colby and Mrs. Ernest Alexander went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Alexander and daughter, who have been spending the past week in Maryville with Mrs. Alexander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith, left for their home Tuesday.

Went to Hopkins.

Mrs. J. M. Ephland and children, who have been spending a week in Maryville with Mrs. Ephland's daughter, Mrs. Robert Ditto, went to Hopkins Tuesday noon, where they met Mr. Ephland, who had preceded them with the household goods, and made ready for their coming to their new home on the S. A. Ditto farm, east of Hopkins.

Left for Iowa Home.

Mrs. L. Branscomb and Miss Jennie Marshall of Winfield, Ia., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willis, on North avenue, since Friday night, left for their home Tuesday noon. The visitors are nieces of Mr. Willis. They are returning home from a winter's absence in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. F. I. Dunn of Bolckow arrived Tuesday noon for a several days' visit with her mother, Mrs. N. A. Kavanaugh, and her sister, Mrs. W. C. Frank.

Captain Charles Hyslop returned Tuesday noon from St. Joseph, where he has been attending the Knights of Pythias convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barr of Lenox, Ia., were Maryville business visitors Tuesday.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles Jackson.....Clearmont
Ruby Curry.....Clearmont

A Musical Automobile.

Manager Hancock of the Field-Lippman music store, tried his hand at manufacturing an automobile Monday, and made such a fine job of it that his first effort is an attraction to everybody who passes the store, for it is on display in the big window. The miniature touring car is made entirely of Victor victrolas. The wheels are made of the discs. Two victrola boxes make the body of the machine. The seat is made entirely of the needle boxes, the clutch is off of the sounding horn. The radiator is the front of the victrola, while both cranks are are the cranks from a large and a small victrola. A beautiful doll occupies the seat, and a very familiar looking dog sits by, all attention to "his master's voice."

Mrs. W. H. Crawford went to Sheridan Tuesday for a few days' visit with Mr. Crawford's brother, R. G. Crawford, and family.

Mrs. W. C. Baker and little daughter, who have been spending the past six weeks in Maryville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Langan, returned to their home in St. Joseph Monday evening.

CLOSING OUT SALE

As I have rented my farm and am going to move to town, I will sell at my farm, 7 miles northwest of Maryville, 8 miles southeast of Burlington Junction, one-half north and three-quarters east of Wilcox, on

Thursday, March 21, 1912

15 HORSES—1 brown horse, 4 years old, weight 1,500 pounds; 1 black mare, 9 years old, weight 1,500 pounds; 1 black mare, 10 years old, weight 1,300 pounds; 1 sorrel mare 5 years old, weight 1,100 pounds; 1 gray mare, 8 years old, weight 1,000 pounds; 1 black horse 5 years old, broke in all harness and gentle; 1 roan horse 5 years old, weight 1,100 pounds; 1 pair of 3-year-old dark iron gray horses, weight 2,100 pounds, broke; 4 coming 2-year-old colts, 1 bay driving team, 4 and 5 years old, weight 2,200 pounds, good ones.

5 MILCH COWS—3 fresh, others this spring.

15 head of brood sows, 6 head shoats, 2 good male hogs. From 2,000 to 3,000 bushels of corn.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—1 disc, 1 John Deere corn planter, 1 harrow, 1 lister, 1 stirring plow, 2 wagons, 1 buggy, hay frame, 4 sets of work harness, 1 set of breast driving harness, 1 set single harness, blacksmith outfit, about 80 good corner hedge posts, 1,500 hedge fence posts, some chickens and household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS—Sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount 9 months time with bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch on ground.

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BUSY MEN'S FORUM

A NEW CLUB PROPOSED FOR MEN BY DR. TAYLOR.

OBJECT: SOCIAL CULTURE

Would Have Commercial Club Take Matter Up, But Have It Free ta All Men.

President H. K. Taylor of the Normal, in a communication to this paper, suggests an organization of men for Maryville whereby questions upon which every man should be informed could be investigated and discussed. President Taylor says that it could be made a part of the Commercial club, and that every man who is interested in self-culture and improvement should be eligible for membership. The communication follows:

Maryville, Mo., March 18.—To the Editor of The Democrat-Forum: It seems to me that one thing needed in Maryville is a better opportunity for our men to cultivate the intellectual as well as the social side of life. I commend most heartily the successful efforts of the ladies of our town in taking up lines of thought, study and discussion upon popular and interesting questions concerning social and civic life.

A similar organization of men whereby questions upon which every man should be informed, whether rich or poor, lay or professional, could be investigated and discussed, would be of great benefit. There are many men busily engrossed with matters not conducive to self-government who would gladly welcome such an opportunity.

No community ever rises higher in the scale of citizenship than the intellectual, social and moral status, not of a few individuals, but of the great majority of its people. Whatever contributes to the raising of that status is a real benefaction to the community.

It is to be doubted whether any other small communities ever excelled in general intelligence the people of the little towns in colonial times when the town meeting was the forum, the lyceum, and the club of every man. Out of just such communities came the best material that went into the fabric of the nation.

It should be a source of gratification to every one interested in the elevation of our standards of culture that such a course of lectures as that to be given by President John during the next week is to be offered to the community through the generosity of the men of the M. E. church. The house should be packed every night. This communication is prompted by a desire to provide for the community such popular advantages as this course of lectures affords. I regret that pressing engagements will prevent my being present at any of these lectures. In pursuance of the suggestions made above I should like to see this club organized. I do not see why it might not be made a part of the work of the Commercial club, except that no fee should be charged, and every man who is interested in self-culture and improvement should be eligible for membership. It seems to me that "The Busy Man's Forum" would, both in expression and implication, be a suitable designation for such a club. I trust that many will take such an interest in a movement of this kind that it will soon be put on foot. Holding myself in readiness to do all that I can to co-operate with such a movement, I am, Very truly,

H. K. TAYLOR.

Mrs. Albert Neidel, living north of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend the day.

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CRANE'S.

HALL SUES FOR $5,000

For Beating He Got on March 16, 1912, by Caleb Miller.

One of the first suits filed for the June term of court was the one filed Tuesday for $5,000 by Attorneys C. F. McCaffrey and J. C. Growney for Charlie Hall against Caleb Miller.

The petition states that the defendant unlawfully, wrongfully and maliciously assaulted, struck and beat and wounded plaintiff by striking and beating his head, face and body with a large stick, on March 16, 1912. The plaintiff was greatly injured and suffered great pains, so the petition states, and he has had the attention of a physician to care for him. He asks for $2,500 actual damages and $2,500 punitive damages.

TOURNAMENT NOW STARTED.

High School Teams Are Playing Basket Ball—Blues Won the First Game.

In the first game of the series the Blues won easily over the Little Giants by a 32 to 4 score. The Blues, in their anxiety to win, played a rather rough game, and had the misfortune to lose their doughty little forward, Jack Taylor, who was benched by Referee Horton during the first few minutes of play. Willson, center for the Blues, then took the burden of winning the game upon himself, gleaning eight baskets off his opponent. The Little Giants, although well supported and playing a hard game, seemed unable to get together or to use their accustomed team work. Growney made their only basket, a spectacular shot from the center of the field. The next game will be between the Tigers and the High Flyers, the dope pointing rather in favor of the Tigers.

There was a good attendance at the game, and it is hoped that this will continue throughout the series of games to be played. The line-up of the game:

The Blues—Robinson, Miller, Taylor, Condon, Blagg.

The Little Giants—Growney, Murray, V. Lyle, A. Lyle, Garten.

Field goals—Willson 8, Robinson 3, Condon 3, Growney.

Free throws—Condon 3, Willson, Murray, V. Lyle.

TO DROP 30 DEGREES.

Temperature Will Take a Tumble Wednesday—Snow Has Been Going Fast This Week.

Weather Observer J. R. Brink received word Tuesday that the temperature would drop 25 or 30 degrees by Wednesday morning. As it was 55 degrees Tuesday morning, this will mean that it will be about 25 degrees Wednesday.

The snow went fast under the sunshine this week. A good part of the snow is gone. It melted so fast Sunday that the small creeks were out of their banks. The river was up a little Tuesday.

WENT TO THE PEN.

James Gaulding and Ned Holmes Taken to Jefferson City by Geo. Evans and John Tilson.

Deputy Sheriffs Geo. L. Evans and John Tilson took James Gaulding and Ned Holmes to Jefferson City Tuesday, where they are to serve time in the penitentiary. Gaulding is sentenced for five years and Holmes for three years. They were tried at the recent term of circuit court.

Irvin Schrover, who was also sentenced to two years in the pen, was not taken at this time, as the court instructed Sheriff Tilson to keep him here for the time being.

MEETING CALLED OFF.

One That Was to Be Held at Pickering Saturday Will Be Held Later—One at Lock on Friday.

The meeting that was to have been held at Pickering Saturday has been called off, as Prof. R. H. Emberson of the state university at Columbia was unable to come at that time. The meeting will be held at a later date, when a general discussion of the advantages of the consolidation of schools will be had.

County Superintendent W. M. Oakerson will speak at the Lock school house on Friday afternoon on the consolidation plan. Lock is one of the school districts in Union township that is in the consolidation plan in that township.

Mrs. Bruce Johnson returned Tuesday morning from a visit at Bedford, Ia., with her parents, and was accompanied by her little sister, Mary Rhoades.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

START ON SCAFFOLD

WORK WILL COMMENCE WEDNESDAY ON DEATH TRAP.

MANY ASK TO WITNESS IT

Requests for Admission to Rasco Hanging Pouring in On Officers in Charge.

If Sheriff W. R. Tilson don't hear from Governor Hadley before this evening as to the commutation of Rasco's sentence, he will commence Wednesday to make his arrangements to carry out the execution, which is set for a week from this Tuesday. Sheriff Tilson was in St. Joseph Monday getting some information regarding the building of a scaffold, and also measured the death trap in the Buchanan county jail.

Work will start on the scaffold Wednesday morning, which will be erected west of the county jail. An enclosure must also be erected higher than the gallows and sufficiently close to exclude the view of persons on the outside. The scaffold must be built adjoining or as near the jail as possible.

While all these arrangements are being made to carry out the execution, Rasco seems to be more nervous. He didn't retire Monday night until 11 o'clock, then only resting fairly well during the night. He don't read so much in the daytime as usual, and when asked why not, he replied that he was too nervous. He has had several callers, and all of the ministers of the city have called upon him.

Many letters and requests have been received by Sheriff Tilson and others for admittance to witness the hanging. Circuit Clerk Eugene Rathbun received two letters Thursday, one from Circuit Clerk A. E. Stone of Plattsburg, asking for a ticket for himself and a friend, and the other one from Judge R. E. Christian of Atchison county. Sheriff Tilson will be unable to accommodate very many, as the law states that those that should be present at the execution should be the officers of the court, guards and assistants as the sheriff may see proper, the prosecuting attorney, the clerk of the court, twelve reputable citizens, two of whom are physicians, the attorneys of the convict, a minister of the gospel as convict may desire, and relatives of the convict.

DEATH OF JAMES M'MACKEN.

Died at Brother's Home, Near Guilford Monday Morning—Funeral Held Tuesday.

James McMacken died at 6 o'clock Monday morning at the home of his brother, Boyd McMacken, near Guilford. He had been complaining for some time and took to his bed Friday. He was 45 years old and was born in Nodaway county. He was a single man. The funeral was held Tuesday at the M. E. church in Guilford, the services being conducted by Rev. Hoover of Ravenwood.

Mrs. W. L. Schoonover and daughter went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to visit Mrs. Ora Bratcher.

TO BE OPERATED ON.

W. R. Wells to Undergo Operation at Hospital Wednesday Morning.

W. R. Wells of this city will undergo an operation at St. Luke's hospital in Chicago Wednesday morning which will be performed by Dr. McArthur. Mr. Wells has bowel trouble. Mrs. Wells and son, Burnham, are in Chicago now with Mr. Wells.

MEETING AT HOPKINS

On Saturday to Discuss Corn Raising—To Organize Boys and Farmers in That Township.

A meeting will be held at Hopkins Saturday afternoon for the purpose of organizing the boys and farmers in that township, and to discuss corn raising. County Superintendent Oakerson will go to that place, where he will talk on corn raising.

DR. JOHN IS HERE.

Will Give His First Lecture at the First M. E. Church on Tuesday Evening.

Dr. John P. D. John arrived in Maryville Tuesday noon for a series of lectures which he will give this week at the First M. E. church. He will give his first lecture this evening at 8 o'clock, and his subject will be "A Glimpse of God in the Microscope."

Dr. J. S. Ford, pastor of the church, on behalf of the official board and the entire membership of the church, extends a most cordial invitation to all pastors and all church and school people and all others to come and enjoy these lectures. There will be no collections. Everything is free and all will be most cordially welcome.

January Report.

There were 57 births and 23 deaths in January in Nodaway county, according to the report of the bureau of vital statistics at Jefferson City. The causes of the deaths follow:

Typhoid fever	1
Tuberculosis of lungs	2
Cancer	3
Diseases of the nervous system	3
Diseases of heart and circulatory system	6
Pneumonia and broncho-pneumonia	2
Acute nephritis and Bright's disease	2
Accidents	2
Other causes	2
Total	23

Will Go to Kansas City.

Miss Kate Schenck, the versatile and popular society reporter for the Tribune, has closed her work with that paper and will go to Kansas City the last of this week, when she will begin work next Monday with the Cunningham Brokerage company of that city as a bookkeeper. Her departure is much regretted by the Tribune and her many friends in this city, but all will be glad to know that her position is lucrative and with possibilities of advancement.

Visited Sick Niece.

Mrs. L. W. Miller and daughter, Miss Edna, of Bolckow, were in Maryville Monday, returning home from a week's visit with Mrs. Miller's niece, Miss Cleo May, who is sick of appendicitis. Miss May is a former State Normal student. She was compelled to give up her school work on account of ill health.

A REGULAR SEAT-HOG!

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Tourists With Mrs. Allender.

The Tourist division of the Twentieth Century club met with Mrs. J. C. Allender Tuesday afternoon.

The M. I. Circle.

Mrs. I. W. Nixon will be hostess to the M. I. Circle for its meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Monday's Bridge Club Today.

Mrs. E. G. Orear entertained the Monday Afternoon Bridge club this afternoon, which was postponed on account of the midday luncheon of the Twentieth Century club Monday.

Conservatory Recital.

The students of the Conservatory who gave piano numbers at the weekly recital Monday night were Miss Mildred Bellows, Miss Nina Evans, Miss Valeda Vance, Miss Madge McMahon, Miss Geneva Wilfley, Miss Mary Wooldridge.

Guests at Evans Home.

Miss Carrie Barge, college and field secretary for the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, who spoke at the First M. E. church, Sunday, is the guest of Misses Elizabeth and Mary Q. Evans, and will remain in the city until Tuesday. The Misses Evans are also entertaining Miss Ruby Tibbetts of Stanberry.

Monday Evening Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith entertained with a dinner Monday evening in honor of Mr. Smith's niece, Mrs. Blake Alexander, and family of Bushnell, Ill., who are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and little daughter, Maud Phinrey; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Braniger, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith.

Inspected Their New Hall.

The Woman's Relief Corps of Sedgwick post, G. A. R. held its regular meeting Saturday afternoon. Shortly after convening the corps was escorted by Comrades Grems and Sipes to its new hall over the Childress department store, in the Baker building, on the north side of the square, to inspect its new quarters. The members were all delighted with the new hall and returned to their old lodge home and finished the business before them.

Society Was Organized.

At a meeting of the ladies of the First M. E. church Monday afternoon the Ladies' Home Missionary society was organized with the following officers: Mrs. H. E. Wright, president; Mrs. L. H. Hill, secretary; Mrs. Ada Jones, treasurer; Mrs. L. L. Maier, corresponding secretary, and Miss Nellie Evans, chairman of the program committee. The organization was in charge of Miss Carrie Barge of Delaware, O.

Praisewater—Smith.

Rev. L. L. Smith of Fillmore officiated at a very beautiful wedding when Orin E. Jones of Pickering and Lela Pearl Praisewater of near Fillmore were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Praisewater, after which luncheon was served. About seventy guests were invited. Miss Lola Praisewater, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Clarence Jones, a brother of the groom, was best man. Miss Edith Praisewater, also a sister of the bride, played the wedding march.

The bride was dressed in white and carried a bunch of white roses. The bridesmaid was also dressed in white. The bride and groom left early Monday morning for Oregon, and were accompanied as far as St. Joseph by Mr. Clarence Jones and Miss Louella Waegle.

They will be at home on the groom's farm, near Pickering.

Loyal Daughters Entertained.

The Loyal Daughters, who constitute the members of the class taught by Mrs. Claude J. Miller in the First Christian church Bible school, were entertained Friday night at the home of Miss Nina Bent. Some time ago the class divided for a membership contest, one side being the reds and the other the blues, the contest to close when fifty members had been secured and the side winning the most new members to be given a party by the side not so fortunate. The house was beautifully decorated in the class colors, gold and white, and posters while the refreshments were served in

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PLEADS FOR HIS BOY

AGED FATHER OF HEZ RASCO ASKS FOR CLEMENCY.

DECISION IN A FEW DAYS

After Hearing Prisoner's Father and Attorneys, Governor Took Case Under Advisement.

Henry Rasco, father of Hez Rasco, and Attorneys Ellis G. Cook and Edward E. Williams for Rasco, appeared before Governor Hadley Tuesday morning at Jefferson City, and the attorneys gave arguments why the sentence should be commuted, as they think the circumstantial evidence in the case warrant a commutation.

Governor Hadley announced after the interview that he would take the case under advisement and would give his decision in a few days as to the commutation of the sentence.

The attorneys were with Assistant Attorney General Campbell Cummings of Jefferson City, who had charge of the state's case before the supreme court.

Henry Rasco, the aged father of Hez, made a personal plea to the governor for him to commute the sentence. He said that his boy was innocent, and that it was too much for an old man of his age to stand to see his boy hung. He pleaded for executive clemency. Mr. Rasco is much broken up, and it is doubtful whether he will live long if Hez is hung.

Governor Hadley has received many letters from all over the state in regard to Rasco. The Rev. Marion Moore of Weston, Mo., wrote the governor he has every reason to believe Rasco is insane. Mrs. Lena Rostock of Oregon, Mo., condemns the testimony of bloodhounds, upon which, she is informed, Rasco was largely convicted, as being wholly unreliable.

Rev. Harrel of the Baptist church and Rev. C. J. Miller of the Christian church were callers on Hez Rasco this afternoon and talked to him for a long time. Hez seems to be on the verge of a breakdown, as he appears very nervous.

WILL WAS FILED.

A Number of Bequests Made by Miss Emma Cannon, Who Died Recently.

The will of Miss Emma Cannon, who died recently in this city, was filed in probate court Tuesday. It was written on March 8, 1911, and was witnessed by John M. Dawson and Hattie T. Cummins. By the terms of the will she leaves to a niece, Grace E. Webber of Bellvue, Ia., $335; to a niece, Lauella Cannon of Hawarden, Ia., $335; to a nephew, Lee Cannon, $335; to a cousin, Mary J. Holmes of Maryville, $1,000; to a cousin, Chloe J. Craig of Maryville, $1,000. She requested that a gold watch chain be divided in three equal parts and given to Leiber and Hosick Holmes and Albert Craig. All books and her library was given to Laura L. Craig. The rest and remainder of the estate was left to Chloe Craig of Maryville. T. A. Cummins was named as executor.

Visiting Her Parents.

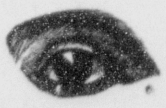
Mrs. Joseph Shipps and son of Ottawa, Kan., arrived in Maryville Monday noon on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. VanBriggle.

Manager Hancock of the Field-Lippman music store left Tuesday for a several days' business trip to Stanberry, Elmo and Blanchard. He will be met at Stanberry by his assistant, Harold Walker, who will accompany him on the trip.

THE WEATHER

Rain probably turning to snow tonight; Wednesday generally fair; cold wave tonight and Wednesday high northerly winds.

DR. FINN



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Candidate for Chief of Police.

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NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 1.)

St. Patrick's colors. A musical comedy and a contest in balancing one's self on a gallon jug while writing one's name, were among the amusements. Each one wore a green shamrock, on which was the question, "Who are you?" making a nice way of getting acquatinted. The members of the class are Misses Hermione Fisher, Verna Thomas, Blanche Shipps, Mamie Tilson, Esther Roberts, Lola Wright, Gladys Yeaman, Elsie Alkire, Geneva Wilfley, Nina Bent, Golda Roelofson, Olivette Godsey, Grace Dungy, Eva Michael, Eva Lee Vance, Marjory Wilfley, Bessie Webster, Helen Purcell, Beulah Taylor, Lulu Williams, Meriem Holt, Marie Cain, Ethel Cain, Eunice Garten, Lizzie Hill, Ruth Dunn, Nellie Hardisty, Flo Masters, Daisy Young, Hazel Cain, Nora Gregory, Edith Clayton, Lennie Carleson, Rena Carleson, Anna Clayton, Ada McLarnon, May Trullinger, Hazel Vandervoort, Anna Sears, Morva Griffey, Maybird Parish, Della May Hook, Ruth Hasty, Audrey Broyles.

Their Sixth Anniversary.

The members of the Twentieth Century club celebrated the sixth birthday anniversary of the club Monday with a mid-day luncheon at the Reuiliard cafe. The club's anniversary is on St. Patrick's day, but as that day came on Sunday this year, Monday was chosen for the celebration. The cafe was screened off and decorated to the patron saint, but primarily in the Twentieth Century club colors of lavender and white. Plates were laid for thirty-eight club members and two guests, Mrs. M. A. Ummethum of Kansas City and Mrs. Walker Lee Campbell of Portland, Ore., at one long, handsomely appointed table. Bowls of fresh cut English violets and ferns in lavender pots graced the center of the table at intervals, and a long-stemmed white carnation was by each plate. The luncheon was delightfully served and consisted of:

Oyster Cocktails Uneeda
Olives
Roast Chicken "a la Tourist"
French Peas in Cases
Potatoes "Hollandaise"
Hot Rolls
French Salad "Tennyson" Wafers
Ice Cream "Twentieth Century"
Coffee

After the luncheon was served Mrs. Anderson Craig, the "toastmistress," as she styled herself, took charge of the after-dinner program in an inimitable speech, saying, among many other things:

"'Tis St. Patrick's day in the morning. 'Tis now we celebrate our anniversary, and I have been selected to carry out your color scheme. Behold me, then! Creature of your creation! Handmaiden of your handiwork! A silver mounted, emerald tinted carnucopia, encompassing all the jewels of literature, the gems of thought and the pearls of wisdom, which shall, like pure and sparkling diamonds, dazzle your visions at this feast of eloquence and flow of soul. In plainer parlance, I am the silver crested greenhorn whose clarion voice shall call forth the toasts, all done brown and crisp, and taffy sweetened for your delectation!"

After hearing letters of greeting and congratulations from two former members of the club, Mrs. Mary Webb of Springfield and Mrs. B. R. Martin of St. Joseph, the toastmistress announced the first speaker, the president of the club, who responded to the toast "Ourselves." She said in part:

"By ourselves I mean the clubs—the women of the clubs of today. Perhaps the best description of a club is one given by a witty bishop who defined it as a place

'Where women cease from troubling
and the weary are at rest.'

"The definition of a man's club is slightly different. A man's club is a weapon used to keep women at a distance.

"The noble lives of club women are 'monuments for a future generation.' The seeds they are sowing now will reap a golden harvest. When a few scattered groups of women started out nearly fifty years ago to 'pursue culture' under the name of 'women's clubs,' no one dreamed of the splendidly organized band of women of today. Before the day of 'women's clubs' the women could talk of nothing beyond the three Ds—dress, domestics and disease. At first little bands of women met occasionally, had a few papers and a few discussions in a crude way. As the years went on clubs sprang up everywhere, but club work went on rather blunderingly. For instance, one club in one place would take up work in one way, at another place in another way, and knew nothing of each other. All worked in the dark. When one woman more clever than the rest said 'we must federate, or we must perish,' no time was lost. That was the grandest movement ever accomplished. Now we all work in unison, always helping each other. Every club should federate. It establishes a kinship that broadens women and creates a sort of universal sisterhood. As Roosevelt said recently, the co-operation of women and men will tend toward the righteousness that exalteth the nation.

"Women are the American Beauty roses blooming in their homes. The trouble is so many men are so choked up with weeds that the beauty roses have to get out and hustle to pay the rent. In a great many instances man is fighting shy of marriage, giving as an excuse that his wife would want to spend most of her time at clubs to the neglect of her home. That is a mere subterfuge. The women who attend clubs are the most devoted wives and home-makers.

"Club women, as a rule, never lose their grip on love. It is the alpha and omega of their happiness, and having won it they cling to it as tenaciously as a queen clings to her crown. The club women are here to stay. We all love them. May their influence go down the ages. Like all that is beautiful, they are a joy forever. Here's to ourselves. Who know the depth of ourselves and the height of ourselves; the worst of ourselves and the best of ourselves. May we all make the most of ourselves and let Providence take care of the rest of ourselves."

Miss Helen Leffler had for her subject "Bachelors," and said:

"Of course, one might expect all manner of nice things to be said in response to the toast "Wives," since wives are so largely in the majority here today, and what one of these loyal wives would allow anything to be said against that portion of the human race known as husbands?.

"In our land, at least, where the inalienable rights of life, liberty and pursuit of happiness are granted to every individual, the bachelor feels that in his case public opinion has so amended the constitution that it now reads "life and pursuit of happiness,' with liberty left out.

"The bachelor has long been regarded as a menace to the life of the race, and his mere existence is deplored by statesmen, reformers and sociologists. Every legislature is flooded with bills designed for his financial ruin.

"The bachelor is the only member of society today whose philosophy entitles him to be a worthy successor of the ancient Greeks. Without him the gentle art of domestic philosophy would become extinct. He is the supreme authority on the mistakes of married life. Who knows so well as he that his friend's wife's nagging has led her husband to spend so many evenings at the club, and that his friend's wife's extravagance has so increased the cost of living that her husband can no longer afford a decent brand of cigars and has had to forego the luxury of highballs. The bachelor has come down to us through history as an unimpeachable authority on how to raise children. Like Solomon, he is the final judge and connoisseur of beautiful women. No one knows so well as he the frailties of the sex. He stands alone today as the resisting spirit to the persuasive charms of woman, and may heaven protect him if he continues so to do in this dangerous year of nineteen hundred and twelve."

Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend retaliated with excellent wit and humor what the toastmistress inferred in her speech, and the looks she received from some wiseacres, who almost smiled out loud because a young woman, married only a year and a half (a bride, in fact), had been selected to give a toast on so intricate and profound a subject as "Husbands," and she gave them permission and a chance to walk out if they didn't want to listen to her. She said:

"Webster tells us that a husband is the male head of a household; one who orders the economy of a family. Of course that is the exact meaning of the word, but I should hate to think that I was married to a head of a household, a mere figure-head. When we speak the word husband, do we ever stop to realize what all that word may imply? I won't say that it means much in all cases, but it should, and if it doesn't, perhaps we wives are in a measure to blame. A husband should be all that is strong and noble—a great big prop for us. We should never be too proud to be advised by them. They know the ways of the world better than we, and there cannot be mutual love and sympathy between husband and wife if she does not look up to him and have regard for his opinions. The Bible tells us that 'she who is married, careth how she may please her husband.' The husband leaves his home every day and works hard to make a living for both, while we are shielded at home from the annoyances they must meet every day. It is our place to give them a pleasant greeting on their return home and let them know each day that we love them.

"But there are husbands and husbands. And [illegible] delinquent ones. Blackstone tells us that the husband and wife are one person at law, and they should be in the home. [illegible] words and unselfish care is what promotes happiness. There is no man who will not yield to affection. Let all we who are wives remember how slight a word or deed may renew the old trysting times.

"It matters not what be thy lot,
So Love doth guide.
For storm or shine, pure peace is thine
Whate'er betide."

Mrs. D. J. Thomas spoke on "Wives," and said in part:

"Wives is not such a poor subject. I might read you a lecture on the baneful club woman, with side lights on suffragettes, and wind up with the extravagance of wives, as a clue to the high cost of living, and this would not be far wrong, for Solomon, with all his 700 wives, never saw one arrayed like these (twentieth century women). You perhaps think a wife is a woman who is joined to a man in the holy bonds of wedlock, but in Scotland she is a woman of mature age, who is or might be married.

"Blackstone says: 'A husband and wife are one person in law.' Each one of us knows which half she is.

"The Bible says: 'Wives, submit yourselves unto your husbands, for the husband is the head of the wife, even as Christ is head of the church,' but you need not allow yourselves to be imposed upon on this account, for it follows with: 'Husbands, love your wives even as Christ loves the church,' and such love admits of the broadest interpretation.

"Husbands have many diverse views on wives. Some regard them as blessed home-makers, others merely as housekeepers.

"No woman is perfectly happy until she is married, and few are entirely so afterward. But 'every cloud has a silver lining,' and the silveriest lining is seen in the flying clouds of wifehood when a woman achieves her highest glory and attains to motherhood."

Miss Jessie Parcher responded to the toast "Spinsters," and said:

"Spinsters! Alias bachelor girls! We are lucky cats. Heaven's blessing is upon us! The dictionary says we are rather aged females who have never married; the world says we are old maids who have never had a chance to, and are wishing we could. Let not your hearts be troubled. Perversion of truth is as old as Time. We may count ourselves the favored class whose foresight prevents our joining the matrimonial jump into connubial fires—the frying pan of single blessedness affords us peace. We possess not the hindsight which makes us wish we hadn't. We are looking well before we leap—and from the signs there'll be no leap this year. We are philosphers—if we can't get what we like, we like what we can get.

"Spinsters, here's luck to you and your spinning! May you weave the fabric called life, with its health, wealth and happiness; love, joys; desires, fulfillments; ambitions, attainments. Here's to the coming to you in very great measure all the good gifts of fate accorded your so-called more fortunate sisters. May all the sweets which are theirs be yours; unalloyed sweets, unmixed with the cloying bitter of an encumbering husband, or the risk of being the mother of a militant suffragette!"

Honor to Whom Honor is Due.

The ladies of the Twentieth Century club are more than pleased with their sixth anniversary celebration on Monday, and many expressed pride in the members of the committee who had entire charge of making the program and arranging everything for the affair. The members of the committee who so gloriously succeeded in doing themselves and their club proud were Mrs. Edward G. Orear, chairman; Mrs. G. H. Colbert and Miss Emma Lee Taylor.

Guests From California.

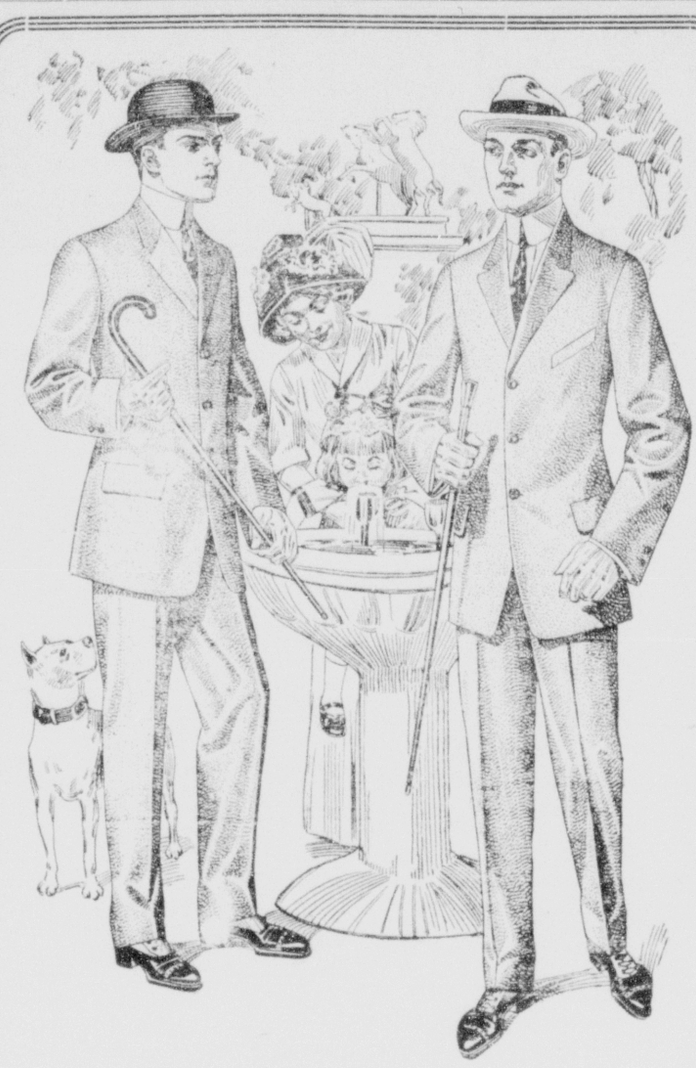
A. J. Messecar and two children of San Diego, Cal., arrived in Maryville Sunday night on a visit to his mother-in-law, Mrs. E. F. Teaney. Mrs. Messecar, who was Miss Nora Teaney of this city, died several years ago.

Mrs. Addie Patterson of Bolckow visited in Maryville from Saturday until Monday evening with Mrs. Elizabeth French, 218 North Fillmore street, who has recently moved to our city from Bolckow.

Miss Gertrude Young of St. Joseph spent Sunday and Monday in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. Newton Hagins.

Repels Attack of Death.

"Five years ago two doctors told me I had only two years to live." This startling statement was made by Stillman Green, Malachite, Col. "They told me I would die with consumption. It was up to me then to try the best lung medicine and I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery. It was well I did, for today I am working and believe I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure that has cheated the grave of another victim." It's folly to suffer with coughs, colds or other throat and lung troubles now. Take the cure that's safest. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottle free at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.



It's time to consider spring things.

The new models in suits for spring are going to please you very much: the new patterns and weaves are very rich.

As usual we've prepared a treat for the young fellows.

Hats in the new shapes and colors are now attracting the early buyers—new Stetsons—new Lion styles. It's the greatest stock of fine hats you ever saw.

Our Shoe department is satisfying the best dressers in our Florsheim bench-made shoes.

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Since the old-fashioned theory of curing eczema through the blood has been given up by scientists, many different salves have been tried for skin diseases. But it has been found that these salves only clog the pores and cannot penetrate to the inner skin below the epidermis where the eczema germs are lodged.

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We have sold other remedies for skin troubles but none that we can recommend as highly as this for we know that D.D.D. stops the itch at once. We can give you a trial size bottle for 25 cents that will be enough to prove it.

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But if you come to our store, we are so certain of what D.D.D. will do for you that we offer you a full size bottle on this guarantee:—If you do not find that it takes away the itch AT ONCE, it costs you not a cent.

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WHAT SAVED HER LIFE

Mrs. Martin Tells About a Painful Experience that Might Have Ended Seriously.

Rivesville, W. Va.—Mrs. Dora Martin, in a letter from Rivesville, writes: "For three years, I suffered with womanly troubles, and had pains in my back and side. I was nervous and could not sleep at night.

The doctor could not help me. He said I would have to be operated on before I could get better. I thought I would try using Cardui.

Now, I am entirely well.

I am sure Cardui saved my life. I will never be without Cardui in my home. I recommend it to my friends."

For fifty years, Cardui has been relieving pain and distress caused by womanly trouble. It will surely help you.

It goes to the spot—reaches the trouble—relieves the symptoms, and drives away the cause.

If you suffer from any symptoms of womanly trouble, take Cardui.

Your druggist sells and recommends it. Get a bottle from him today.

N. B.—*Write to:* Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Big Crowd at Concert.

The Field-Lippman piano store entertained its largest crowd Saturday afternoon and evening at its weekly concert. These concerts are becoming very popular and will be a regular feature of this store's business. Manager Hancock is planning a great program for Saturday, March 30.

Nineteen Miles a Second

Without a jar, shock or disturbance, is the awful speed of our earth through space. We wonder at such ease of nature's movement, and so do those who take Dr. King's New Life Pills. No griping, no distress, just thorough work that brings good health and fine feelings. 25c.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

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Rose comb from prize winners at Kansas City and Omaha in 1910. Eggs 75 cents per 15. Single comb, fine mating of large, well developed fowls, eggs 50 cents per 15. Ideal Poultry Yards, F. W. OLNEY, Maryville, Mo. Phone Bell 277 or Crane's store.

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BRIBERY BEGINS STATE'S HISTORY

Four Members of New Mexico Legislature Under Arrest.

SEEN WHEN RECEIVING MONEY

All Were Members of House of Representatives—Caught by Clever Trap—Bad Beginning for New State.

Albuquerque, N. M., Mar. 19.—Four members of the New Mexico legislature were arrested in Santa Fe charged with accepting bribes to vote for certain candidates for United states senators.

Bribes amounting to $500 each are said to have been paid them.

The arrest of the legislators, all members of the house of representatives was effected by means of a ruse and came as a dramatic climax to dickerings extending over several days, it is alleged.

Those arrested were Representatives Julian Trujillo and J. P. Lucero of Rio Arraba county; Manuel Cordova and Luis Montoya of Taos county.

They are alleged to have been caught with the money in their possession. The arrests were made by Territorial Mounted Policeman A. A. Sena, in a room at the Palace hotel in Santa Fe, where the men met by appointment.

Resignations Written.

Immediately after their arrest, the four legislators were taken to th county jail. After their arrival there, they wrote their resignations, which will be presented to the house when it meets in the morning.

According to the details obtainable at present, the trap to catch the men was laid by Elfego Baca of Albuquerque, one of the managers of Judge Albert B. Fall, a leading candidate for United States senator; State Chairman Venceslao Jaramillo, one of the Republican central committee, also mentioned for a senatorship; Joseph D. Sena, clerk of the supreme court, and Officer Sena.

Solicited Bribes.

The men, it is said, had gone to Manager Baca earlier in the day and demanded $5,000 for their votes, agreeing, so the story goes, to deliver them to Judge Fall. Immediately the proposal was placed before Judge Fall, and plans were then laid to catch the men.

The money was obtained and the men were told to meet Baca in a room in the hotel at 9 o'clock. Officer Sena, Court Clerk Sena and Jaramillo then secreted themselves in the bathroom adjoining, where they could see what took place. As soon as the legislators had been handed the money, the plotters say, they burst into the room and the arrests followed.

Ocean Steamer Founders.

London, Mar. 19—A Loyd's dispatch from Spezzit, states that the British steamer North Britain has foundered in the Mediterranean and that all on board have perished, with the exception of one man. The North Britian carried a crew of 65 men.

A Bill for a Primary.

Washington, Mar. 19.—Senator Cummins of Iowa introduced in the senate a nation-wide presidential primary bill, the effect of which would be to do away with local, state and national conventions of the various political parties.

Chariton County Voted Wet.

Keytesville, Mo., Mar. 19.—Complete returns from the local option election held in Chariton county show that it has gone wet by a majority of 67. The county is now dry, having cast a dry majority of 668 four years ago.

Was Snowbound Here.

Mr. John Carter, a traveling salesman of Burlington, Ia., visited in Maryville Saturday and Sunday with the family of S. J. Pinnell. The Carter and Pinnell families were neighbors in Burlington, while Mr. Pinnell was agent for the Burlington railway there two years. Mr. Carter had been on a trip through Texas and Louisiana, and was on his way home when he was snowbound here.

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There is nothing that will create sickness or cause more trouble than a disordered stomach, and many people daily contract serious maladies simply through disregard or abuse of the stomach.

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POSSES KILLED INNOCENT MAN

Forced to Drive Fleeing Convicts in Sleigh, Was First to Fall.

SLAUGHTER APPEARED USELESS

Running Fight With Desperadoes Who Murdered Nebraska's Prison Warden—One Surrenders After Rest are Dead.

Lincoln, Neb., Mar. 19.—An innocent man was the first to die from the shots of the posses which surrounded the three fugitives from the state penitentiary. Roy Blunt, the young farmer who was forced to drive the fugitives in his sleigh, fell in a fight in which he had no part.

He was 22 years old and had been married only two months. His young widow was prostrated when his body was taken home. The criminals had forced his wife to give them breakfast and then ordered him to drive them toward Omaha. Knowing the posse was only two hours behind them, they left a note telling of their hostage.

Fight Was Fierce.

From the time Chief Briggs of South Omaha and his deputy, John C. Trouton, came within a hundred yards of the fleeing men until the surviving convict surrendered it was a dashing fight over three miles of country roads near Gretna. The three convicts, who had killed the warden and his two assistants in their escape from the state penitentiary, did not hesitate to attempt to sell their lives as dearly as possible. They were armed with shotguns and revolvers. The shot came rattling into the faces of their pursuers, while the revolver bullets were poorly aimed and were spent in the snowdrifts along the roadside.

Finally there was a halt, and the young farmer toppled back into his sleigh. Chief Briggs jumped from his buggy and with deliberate aim fired at the fugitives. Six posses, including a company of militia, hurried up and joined in the fusillade. The convicts were surrounded and had no chance of escape. But no one was cool enough to consider the uselessness of the slaughter.

Dowd Shot Himself.

John Taylor was the next to fall. Then John Dowd shot himself in the temple. Charles Morley, the last, threw up his hands in token of surrender.

"Drop that gun or I'll blow your head off!" Chief Briggs shouted.

Morley, who held aloft a big double action revolver, dropped it and came forward. The chief took another revolver from his pocket and handcuffed him. Not knowing just what had happened, he demanded the surrender of the men in the wagon.

"They are all dead," Morley said.

The firing had attracted several hundred farmers, and the procession which followed the officers back to Gretna was almost two miles long. The bodies of the two convicts were brought here. Sheriff Hyers also brought Morley back and returned him to a cell.

Morley declared that the escape from the penitentiary had not been long planned. He did not know of it Thursday morning. The guns were given him and Dowd by Taylor, who also had the explosive.

DYNAMITE IN THEIR NEW HOME

Young Couple Just Married Met With Dangerous Reception on Entering House.

Tulsa, Ok., Mar. 19.—As Alvin Orcutt and his bride of a few days were entering their home seven miles south of here for the first time at night a heavy charge of dynamite was exploded at the opposite side of the house, wrecking the building. The couple were uninjured.

Alvin Orcutt is the son of S. A. Orcutt, one of the wealthiest residents of Tulsa. There have been other dynamiting outrages in this county in the last two years. The officers do not believe that the dynamiting of the Orcutt home was part of an organized plot.

SUICIDE COVERS UP HER WOUND

St. Joseph Woman Pulls Dressing Gown Over Heart, Hiding Revolver.

St. Joseph, Mo., Mar. 19.—Mrs. Bertha Bauer, wife of Franz Baur, eldest daughter of Alfred Meier, president of the board of public works, killed herself with a revolver about 7 o'clock in the morning at the family home. She had been in bad health.

She was attired in a dressing gown laid down on a couch, placed the muzzle of a revolver to her heart and pulled the trigger. In a second or two of consciousness and before Mr. Bauer could reach the room, she folded the grown back over the wound and hid the pistol under one of the folds.

Burned by Alcohol Lamp.

Aurora, Ill., Mar. 19.—Mrs. Helen Leet, 74, one of the wealthiest women in Illinois, is near death as a result of burns received when an alcohol lamp, over which she was making a cup of coffee, exploded and set fire to her night clothing. A servant went to her assistance.

AMERICAN MARINES LANDED

TAKE CHARGE OF CUSTOMS HOUSE AT SWATOW, CHINA.

Threatening Attitude of Natives and Continued Rioting Made Action Necessary.

Swatow, China, Mar. 19.—Because of the threatening attitude of natives and of the prevalence of rioting and lawlessness a detachment of United States marines was landed here to protect the lives and property of Americans and other foreigners.

The marines have taken charge of the customs house.

Bakka tribesmen and troops from Canton battled eight hours in the streets of the city. A shot from one of the combatants, who were firing wildly, killed a marine on board a Japanese warship in the harbor.

Severel other bullets struck the hull of the United States monitor Monterey.

Reports from Waichow say the troops there are mutinous.

United States in Struggle.

London, Mar. 19.—The situation is being keenly observed here.

Admiral Sir Syprian Bridge indicated his belief that a naval clash in the Far East is not improbable. He thought the United States should be certain of its naval strength before becoming involved.

Danger in Unpaid Troops.

Pekin, Mar. 19.—President Yuan Shi Kai pledged all his generals to stand by him and explained that the financiers who had promised a loan to pay the troops had withdrawn their offer. When the troops were informed of the situation they served notice upon the officers that unless their pay was forthcoming in 48 hours they would sack the city.

China needs $300,000,000 to save her from absolute ruin.

DYNAMITE VIRGINIA SLAYERS

So Well Intrenched in Mountains That Capture Would Mean Heavy Loss of Life.

Hillsvale, Va., Mar. 19.—Dynamite is to be used in driving the Allens from Devil's Den, their stronghold in the mountains on the North Carolina border. The courtroom slayers are so well intrenched that capture in a fight undoubtedly would be accompanied by great loss of life and it might be a long job to starve them into submission as they are well supplied with food.

Leaders of the posses in pursuit of the outlaws refuse to outline definitely their plan for using the explosive as there is an "underground" system of communication in the mountains and the Allens might be able to prepare a defense against the bombs. The posses include several men familiar with all gullies and caves in the vicinity of Devil's Den.

Roanoke, Va., Mar. 19.—Floyd Allen, wounded leader of the Allen clan, in jail here, prayed aloud in his cell and asked several times to see a preacher. He also has asked for a lawyer. No one has been allowed to approach him.

BOILER BLEW UP IN ROUNDHOUSE

San Antonio Explosion Kills Score of Workingmen, Mostly Strikebreakers.

San Antonio, Tex., Mar. 19—At least 32 persons were killed in the explosion of a locomotive boiler at the Southern Pacific roundhouse.

Most of the dead and injured were strikebreakers from the northwestern states, who took the place of Southern Pacific shopment, who struck here several weeks ago.

Engines in the roundhouse were smashed and the roundhouse caught fire. The half-ton jacket of the exploding locomotive boiler dropped between two houses on Duval street, several blocks distant, while the tender was thrown several hundred feet and twisted into a big shapeless mass of steel.

Important Letter to All Who Suffer.

"I suffered from indigestion for a long time. Last May I almost died. The doctor told me it was acute indigestion and I could not be cured. Since that time I have suffered very much, as some days everything I ate, even light food, as soft boiled eggs, would distress me. I lost fifteen pounds. Sometimes I felt that I could not live another day. A month ago I got a box of Mi-o-na tablets. Before I had used them a week I was better. I have used two boxes and I feel as well as I ever did.—Eunice A. Peters, Jackson, Ga.

Use Mi-o-na stomach tablets for quick relief from sour stomach, heaviness, heartburn, belching of gas and distress after eating. They are guaranteed. Large box 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

Papering Court House Halls.

Paper hangers commenced Monday to paper the court house halls. It has been a long time since the court house has been papered and with new paper it will show up fine.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c

HER BROTHER DIED.

Miss Grace Lowe of Parnell Called to Omaha by Brother's Death.

Miss Grace Lowe, a teacher in the Parnell schools, was called to Omaha Monday night by the death of her brother, John Lowe, who died after a few days' illness.

The young man was 20 years old and a student at Creighton university of Omaha. He was born in Maryville and was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lowe of Omaha, formerly of Maryville. He is survived by five brothers and sisters. The young man was a nephew of Misses Jennie and Nellie Lowe of Barnard. Many old Maryville friends will sympathize with the family in their bereavement, for he was a young man of considerable promise.

FELL DEAD IN STATE HOSPITAL.

George W. Hoshor, Son of the Late Washington Hoshor—Body Will Arrive Tonight.

George W. Hoshor, a son of the late Washington Hoshor, dropped dead at the state hospital in St. Joseph Tuesday forenoon at 11:40 o'clock. He had been an inmate of that institution for many years. It is expected that the body will be brought to Maryville Tuesday night for burial. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

His Brother Dead.

George W. Walker of this city received a telegram Monday evening announcing the death of his brother, H. B. Walker of Mt. Vernon, Ill., at his home, Monday morning. The deceased man was about 70 years old. He will be remembered by older residents of our city, who met him while he was on a visit to his brother, the late Shubal G. Walker, who was a well known druggist here.

A Seed Corn Test.

C. D. McKibban made a seed corn test last week. He picked out fifty ears of corn, two years old, and secured a grain from each ear. He put this in a cigar box, with a wet cloth around it, and every grain sprouted in six days except one.

Miss Alvena Hartman of St. Joseph is engaged as trimmer for the Staples Millinery company, and will remain until the arrival of Mrs. Staples' regular trimmer, Miss Margaret Lee Winston, who is detained at her home in St. Joseph on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Mrs. J. H. Carmichael, living four miles west of Pickering, was in Maryville between trains Monday evening, the guest of Mrs. R. S. Braniger, and went on to Stanberry to visit her mother, Mrs. A. C. Hart, who is in poor health.

Miss Virdah Daniels of Barnard was in Maryville Monday on her way home from a three weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Cook of Shenandoah.

Miss Missie Farnan of Clyde, who has been spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Costello, returned home Monday.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday afternoon by Recorder Wray to Charles Snoderly of Yorktown, Ia., and Stella B. Bomar of Coin, Ia. They were married by 'Squire J. W. Morris.

BOTH BOMBS SENT BY ONE MAN

Attempt on Judge Rosalsky's Life is Connected With Death of Woman February 3.

New York, Mar. 19.—Every available detective at police headquarters is searching the city for the man who attempted to slay Judge Otto A. Rosalsky with an infernal machine sent him through the mails. Similarity of the typewriting on the package and of the manufacture of the deadly missile to that which caused the death of Helen Taylor, February 3, at her home on Seventy-seventh street, has led to the opinion that the same man sent both bombs.

SAFE BLOWER MAIMED HIMSELF

Too Much Nitroglycerin Used Results in Wounding of Chicago Cracksman.

Chicago, Mar. 19.—An over charge of nitroglycerin plugged into the safe of the Williams Grain company, exploded with such force that it not only demolished the safe and wrecked the office, but it maimed one of the yeggmen.

Particles of flesh, believed to have been torn from the legs of one of the robbers, were found in the building while a trail of blood led outside.

Gas Explosion Burns Two.

Iola, Kan., Mar. 19.—An explosion of gas wrecked the home of William Bown at La Harpe. Bown and his wife were dangerously burned. When Bown applied a match to his stove in the morning the explosion followed. Gas had accumulated in the house in the night from leaky pipes.

NOSE STOPPED UP WITH CATARRH

A Common Sense Treatment for Colds and Catarrh. Gives Instant Relief.

No matter how miserable you are with catarrh or a cold in the head, nose stopped up, throat sore, eyes running, dull pain in the head, dry cough, fever, foul breath, Ely's Cream Balm will give you instant relief.

It gets right at the root of the trouble, cleanses, heals and strengthens the raw, sore membranes, stops the nasty discharge so that you are not constantly blowing the nose and spitting. In a few minutes after applied you can just feel it doing its work of clearing the head, the pain and soreness are relieved, the breathing becomes natural and the stuffed up feeling is gone. This cleansing, healing, antiseptic Balm contains no mercury, cocaine or other harmful drugs. It is easy to apply, pleasant to use, and never fails to give relief, even in the worst cases.

Never neglect a cold, and don't suffer the miseries of catarrh nor disgust your friends with your hawking, spitting and foul breath. Get a 50 cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist, and start the treatment at once. You will find that it will be the best investment you ever made.

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ROOMS FOR RENT—502 East Seventh, Mrs. Anna Belcher. 18-30

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FOR SALE—Farm and city property. Money to loan at lowest rates on good farm security. Allen Bros. 19-21

WANTED—Second-hand cook stove. Call Wednesday Singer sewing machine office, 115 South Main street. 18-20

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Invitations Free.

The Northwest Normal school will send free to each lady upon application ten invitations that can be sent personally to lady friends to attend the short course in home making at the Normal school, April 25-27. If you wish the invitation, telephone or drop a card to the president, H. K. Taylor.

W. D. Patterson of Neodesha, Kan., who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Barks of East Second street, the past two weeks, left for his home Monday evening.

SCHOOL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the Independent school district of Maryville, Missouri, that at the regular annual election of said school district, to be held at the voting places in the various wards in the city of Maryville for the election of city officers of said city of Maryville, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1912,

There will be submitted to the qualified voters who are taxpayers of said school district voting at such election, a proposition to levy a tax of six mills on the dollar on the taxable property of said school district, in addition to the four mills authorized by law to be levied by the board of directors of said school district for the maintenance of the schools and for school purposes in said school district for the next ensuing school year.

Also the election of two directors for the term of three years each.

Done by order of the board of directors, March 13th, 1912.

W. A. BLAGG, President.
GEO. P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

Easter Flowers

We have the nicest and largest selection of cut flowers and blooming plants for Easter that we have ever grown and will be able to fill all orders for church and home decorations or to send to your friends, etc. Visitors always welcome

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Today's Markets

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Cattle—4,500. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 17,000.

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Sheep—10,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,300. Market slow.

Hogs—8,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.00.

Sheep—1,500. Market strong.

Social at W. O. W. Hall.

The Woodmen of the World will give a pie social and dance in their hall Friday evening, March 22. Everyone cordially invited. Ladies are requested to bring pies.

Constable Richard Snyder went to Clyde Tuesday on legal business.

H. J. Becker went to Hopkins Tuesday on business.

Mrs. F. W. Crow went to Kansas City Tuesday on a business trip.

Mrs. O. F. Wilson and Miss Millie Kester of Burlington Junction spent Tuesday in Maryville.

Charles Childress of the north side department store went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to buy goods.

Mrs. J. W. Wyncoop of Bolckow arrived Monday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Zack Pierpoint.

Mrs. E. L. Ferritor and little daughter went to Clyde Tuesday to spend the day with her sister, Mrs. Tom Merrigan.

Mrs. Charles T. Bell, Mrs. J. F. Colby and Mrs. Ernest Alexander went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Alexander and daughter, who have been spending the past week in Maryville with Mrs. Alexander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Smith, left for their home Tuesday.

Went to Hopkins.

Mrs. J. M. Ephland and children, who have been spending a week in Maryville with Mrs. Ephland's daughter, Mrs. Robert Ditto, went to Hopkins Tuesday noon, where they met Mr. Ephland, who had preceded them with the household goods, and made ready for their coming to their new home on the S. A. Ditto farm, east of Hopkins.

Left for Iowa Home.

Mrs. L. Branscomb and Miss Jennie Marshall of Winfield, Ia., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Willis, on North avenue, since Friday night, left for their home Tuesday noon. The visitors are nieces of Mr. Willis. They are returning home from a winter's absence in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mrs. F. I. Dunn of Bolckow arrived Tuesday noon for a several days' visit with her mother, Mrs. N. A. Kavanaugh, and her sister, Mrs. W. C. Frank.

Captain Charles Hyslop returned Tuesday noon from St. Joseph, where he has been attending the Knights of Pythias convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barr of Lenox, Ia., were Maryville business visitors Tuesday.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles Jackson.....Clearmont
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A Musical Automobile.

Manager Hancock of the Field-Lippman music store, tried his hand at manufacturing an automobile Monday, and made such a fine job of it that his first effort is an attraction to everybody who passes the store, for it is on display in the big window. The miniature touring car is made entirely of Victor victrolas. The wheels are made of the discs. Two victrola boxes make the body of the machine. The seat is made entirely of the needle boxes, the clutch is off of the sounding horn. The radiator is the front of the victrola, while both cranks are are the cranks from a large and a small victrola. A beautiful doll occupies the seat, and a very familiar looking dog sits by, all attention to "his master's voice."

Mrs. W. H. Crawford went to Sheridan Tuesday for a few days' visit with Mr. Crawford's brother, R. G. Crawford, and family.

Mrs. W. C. Baker and little daughter, who have been spending the past six weeks in Maryville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Langan, returned to their home in St. Joseph Monday evening.

CLOSING OUT SALE

As I have rented my farm and am going to move to town, I will sell at my farm, 7 miles northwest of Maryville, 8 miles southeast of Burlington Junction, one-half north and three-quarters east of Wilcox, on

Thursday, March 21, 1912

15 HORSES—1 brown horse, 4 years old, weight 1,500 pounds; 1 black mare, 9 years old, weight 1,500 pounds; 1 black mare, 10 years old, weight 1,300 pounds; 1 sorrel mare 5 years old, weight 1,100 pounds; 1 gray mare, 8 years old, weight 1,000 pounds; 1 black horse 5 years old, broke in all harness and gentle; 1 roan horse 5 years old, weight 1,100 pounds; 1 pair of 3-year-old dark iron gray horses, weight 2,100 pounds, broke; 4 coming 2-year-old colts, 1 bay driving team, 4 and 5 years old, weight 2,200 pounds, good ones.

5 MILCH COWS—3 fresh, others this spring.

15 head of brood sows, 6 head shoats, 2 good male hogs. From 2,000 to 3,000 bushels of corn.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—1 disc, 1 John Deere corn planter, 1 harrow, 1 lister, 1 stirring plow, 2 wagons, 1 buggy, hay frame, 4 sets of work harness, 1 set of breast driving harness, 1 set single harness, blacksmith outfit, about 80 good corner hedge posts, 1,500 hedge fence posts, some chickens and household and kitchen furniture.

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